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APRIL 1975 SUMMARY

FEDERAL MILK ORDER

MARKET STATISTICS

APRIL HIGHLIGHTS

MINIMUM CLASS I PRICE, \$8.95; BLEND, \$7.97

PRODUCER DELIVERIES UP 2.6 PERCENT

PRODUCER MILK USED IN CLASS I UP 2.4 PERCENT

55 PERCENT OF DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I

IN-AREA FLUID MILK SALES (ADJUSTED) UP 4.0 PERCENT

* SPECIAL THIS ISSUE - Page 33 *
* Adjusting in-area sales data *
* for calendar composition *



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Summary of prices, deliveries, and deliveries used in Class I

1/ Percentages computed from unrounded pounds.

1/ Percentages computed from unrounded pounds.

2/ Excludes Great Basin.

Summary of packaged fluid milk product sales 1/

Year	Whole milk items 2/				Lowfat and skim milk items 3/				Milk and Cream mixtures				Cream items 4/				Total fluid items 5/			
	No. of mths.	Mil. lb.	Percent:	Change	Sales	Bf. test:	over prev. year 6/	Sales	Bf. test:	over prev. year 6/	Sales	Bf. test:	Change	Sales	Bf. test:	over prev. year 6/	Mil. lb.	Percent:	Change	Sales
1972	62	31,083	-0.8	3.43:	9,480	+10.1	1.49:	416	-1.4	11.1:	283	+1.5	23.0:	41,587	+1.6	3.20				
1973	61	29,854	-3.0	3.42:	10,273	+ 9.1	1.46:	405	-2.1	11.1:	291	+3.4	23.2:	41,138	- .2	3.14				
1974 7/	60	23,814	-5.8	3.40:	10,337	+ 6.9	1.48:	332	-4.4	11.0:	305	8/+10.2	21.2:	34,978	-2.2	3.06				
	No. of comp. mths.																			
1975 7/	60	2,121	+ .1	3.38:	975	+11.8	1.49:	26	-5.6	11.1:	23	8/+10.0	20.2:	3,156	+3.5	2.98				
Jan.	60	1,889	+ .5	3.38:	886	+12.2	1.48:	25	-4.4	11.1:	24	8/+13.7	20.4:	2,836	+4.0	2.99				
Feb.	60	2,009	-1.6	3.38:	948	+ 9.2	1.48:	27	-3.8	11.1:	29	8/+22.2	20.8:	3,027	+1.9	3.01				
Mar.																				
Apr.																				
May																				
June																				
July																				
Aug.																				
Sept.																				
Oct.																				
Nov.																				
Dec.																				
Year																				

1/ Total packaged disposition, in and out of the marketing area, by regulated handlers.

2/ Plain and flavored.

3/ Plain, fortified, flavored skim and lowfat milk, and buttermilk.

4/ Light, heavy, sour, and cream dips.

5/ Includes eggnog and yogurt.

6/ Percentage changes over previous year are based on the same number of comparable markets in both years. Data for February 1972 adjusted to a 28-day basis before computing percentage changes.

7/ Excludes New York-New Jersey.

8/ Beginning with January 1974, there was a change in the reporting of the sales of cream items. As a result, the percent change over the previous year is somewhat overstated.

Summary of packaged sales of whole milk items, and lowfat and skim milk items in marketing areas defined by Federal milk orders 1/

Year	No. of comp. mths.	Whole milk items 2/					Lowfat and skim milk items 3/					Total					
		Mil. lb.	Percent		Bf. test	Mil. lb.	Mil. lb.	Percent		Bf. test	Mil. lb.	Change over previous year 4/	Unadj.	Adj. 5/	Change over previous year 4/	Unadj.	Adj. 5/
			Change over previous year 4/	Unadj.				Change over previous year 4/	Unadj.								
1972 6/	58	24,846	- 0.3	NA	3.44	8,485	+ 9.9	NA	1.52	33,331	+ 2.1	+ 2.3		+ 2.1	+ 2.3		2.95
1973 7/	57	23,727	- 3.1	- 3.2	3.42	9,129	+ 8.5	+ 8.5	1.49	32,856	- .2	- .2		- .2	- .2		2.88
1974 7/	57	22,243	- 6.2	- 6.2	3.41	9,724	+ 6.5	+ 6.6	1.49	31,967	- 2.7	- 2.7		- 2.7	- 2.7		2.82
1975 8/																	
January	60	1,992	- .5	- .9	3.38	924	+11.3	+10.4	1.50	2,916	+ 3.0	+ 2.4		+ 3.0	+ 2.4		2.79
February	60	1,768	- .2	- .2	3.38	839	+11.9	+11.9	1.48	2,607	+ 3.4	+ 3.4		+ 3.4	+ 3.4		2.77
March 2/	60	1,891	- 1.6	- 1.5	3.37	900	+ 9.3	+ 9.8	1.49	2,791	+ 1.7	+ 2.0		+ 1.7	+ 2.0		2.77
April	60	1,864	- .3	+ .2	3.38	901	+12.0	+13.1	1.49	2,765	+ 3.4	+ 4.0		+ 3.4	+ 4.0		2.77
May																	
June																	
July																	
August																	
September																	
October																	
November																	
December																	
Year																	

1/ In-area sales represent total sales in each of the areas by handlers regulated under the respective orders, by handlers regulated under other orders, by partially regulated handlers, and by producer-handlers. Sales routes of handlers may extend outside defined marketing areas; therefore, some handler in-area sales are partially estimated.

2/ Plain and flavored.

3/ Plain, fortified, and flavored skim and lowfat milk, and buttermilk.

4/ Percentages based on the same number of comparable markets in both years. Data for February 1972 adjusted to a 28-day basis before computing percentage changes.

5/ Adjusted to eliminate variations in data due to calendar composition. See special article in FMOS - 171, March 1974.

6/ Excludes the New York-New Jersey, Upstate Michigan, Fort Smith, and Western Colorado markets.

7/ Excludes the New York-New Jersey, Fort Smith, Lake Mead, Western Colorado, and Mississippi markets.

8/ Excludes New York-New Jersey.

9/ Estimated.

Table 1.—Federal order fluid differentials, May and June 1975; minimum Class I prices for milk of 3.5 percent butterfat content, f.o.b. market or other indicated point* and butterfat differentials, May 1974 and 1975; and Class I price, June 1974 and 1975

Marketing area	Fluid				Fat diff.				Marketing area	Fluid				Fat diff.			
	diff.		Class I price		per		per 100 lb.			diff.		Class I price		per		per 100 lb.	
	100 lb.		100 lb.		100 lb.		100 lb.			100 lb.		100 lb.		100 lb.		100 lb.	
	1/		1/		1/		1/			1/		1/		1/		1/	
	1975		1975		1975		1975			1975		1975		1975		1975	
	Dollars		Cents		Dollars		Cents			Dollars		Cents		Dollars		Cents	
NEW ENGLAND									WEST NORTH CENTRAL -Con.								
Boston Regional	2.98	9.84	11.13	8.0	7.0	9.92	10.71		Southern Group								
Connecticut	2.98	9.84	11.13	8.0	7.0	9.92	10.71		St. Louis-Ozarks	1.60	8.46	9.75	8.0	8.2	8.54	9.33	
MIDDLE ATLANTIC									Kansas City	1.74	8.60	9.89	8.0	8.2	8.68	9.47	
New York-New Jersey	2.64	9.50	10.79	8.0	7.0	9.58	10.37		Neosho Valley	2/1.65	8.51	9.80	8.0	8.5	8.59	9.38	
Middle Atlantic	2.78	9.64	10.93	8.0	7.0	9.72	10.51		Wichita	1.80	8.66	9.95	8.0	8.2	8.74	9.53	
SOUTH ATLANTIC									EAST SOUTH CENTRAL								
Appalachian	2.13	8.99	10.28	8.2	8.2	9.07	9.86		Paducah	1.70	8.56	9.85	8.0	8.2	8.64	9.43	
Tampa Bay	2.95	9.81	11.10	7.5	7.5	9.89	10.68		Nashville	1.58	8.44	9.73	8.0	8.2	8.52	9.31	
Southeastern Florida	3.15	10.01	11.30	7.5	7.5	10.09	10.88		Memphis	1.94	8.80	10.09	8.0	8.2	8.88	9.67	
Upper Florida	2.85	9.71	11.00	7.5	7.5	9.79	10.58		Knoxville	1.70	8.56	9.85	8.2	8.2	8.64	9.43	
Georgia	2.30	9.16	10.45	8.0	8.2	9.24	10.03		Chattanooga	2.15	9.01	10.30	8.0	8.2	9.09	9.88	
EAST NORTH CENTRAL									WEST SOUTH CENTRAL								
Eastern Group									Northern Group								
Southern Michigan	1.60	8.46	9.75	7.8	6.8	8.54	9.33		Central Arkansas	1.94	8.80	10.09	8.0	8.2	8.88	9.67	
Eastern Ohio-W. Pa.	1.85	8.71	10.00	8.0	7.0	8.79	9.58		Fort Smith	1.95	8.81	10.10	8.0	8.5	8.89	9.68	
Ohio Valley	1.70	8.56	9.85	8.2	8.2	8.64	9.43		Oklahoma Metropolitan	1.98	8.84	10.13	8.0	8.5	8.92	9.71	
Western Group									Red River Valley	2/2.20	9.06	10.35	8.0	8.5	9.14	9.93	
Michigan Upper Penin.	1.35	8.21	9.50	8.5	8.5	8.29	9.08		Texas Panhandle	2.25	9.11	10.40	8.0	8.2	9.19	9.98	
Chicago Regional	1.26	8.12	9.41	8.0	8.2	8.20	8.99		Lubbock-Plainview	2.42	9.28	10.57	8.0	8.5	9.36	10.15	
Louisville-Lex.-Evans.	1.49	8.35	9.64	8.0	8.2	8.43	9.22		Southern Group								
Indiana	1.47	8.33	9.62	8.0	8.2	8.41	9.20		Northern Louisiana	2.47	9.33	10.62	8.0	8.2	9.41	10.20	
Southern Illinois	2/1.53	8.39	9.68	8.0	8.2	8.47	9.26		New Orleans	2.85	9.71	11.00	8.0	8.2	9.79	10.58	
Central Illinois	1.39	8.25	9.54	8.0	8.2	8.33	9.12		North Texas	2.32	9.18	10.47	8.0	8.5	9.26	10.05	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL									Central West Texas	2.57	9.43	10.72	8.0	8.5	9.51	10.30	
Northern Group									Austin-Waco	2.70	9.56	10.85	8.0	8.2	9.64	10.43	
Duluth-Superior	1.10	7.96	9.25	8.0	8.9	8.04	8.83		San Antonio	2.74	9.60	10.89	8.0	8.5	9.68	10.47	
Minneapolis-St. Paul	1.06	7.92	9.21	8.0	8.2	8.00	8.79		Corpus Christi	3.07	9.93	11.22	8.0	8.2	10.01	10.80	
Eastern South Dakota	1.50	8.36	9.65	8.0	8.2	8.44	9.23		South Texas	2.68	9.54	10.83	8.0	8.5	9.62	10.41	
Black Hills	1.95	8.81	10.10	8.2	8.2	8.89	9.68		MOUNTAIN								
North Central Iowa	1.25	8.11	9.40	8.0	8.2	8.19	8.98		Eastern Colorado	2.30	9.16	10.45	8.8	8.9	9.24	10.03	
Cedar Rapids-Iowa City	1.33	8.19	9.48	8.0	8.2	8.27	9.06		Great Basin	1.90	8.76	10.05	8.2	8.2	8.84	9.63	
Quad Cities-Dubuque	1.33	8.19	9.48	8.0	8.5	8.27	9.06		Western Colorado	2.00	8.86	10.15	8.2	8.2	8.94	9.73	
Des Moines	1.40	8.26	9.55	8.0	8.2	8.34	9.13		Central Arizona	2.52	9.38	10.67	8.0	9.2	9.46	10.25	
Nebraska-Western Iowa	1.60	8.46	9.75	8.0	8.5	8.54	9.33		Rio Grande Valley	2.35	9.21	10.50	8.0	8.5	9.29	10.08	
Minnesota-North Dakota	1.30	8.16	9.45	8.0	8.2	8.24	9.03		Lake Mead	1.60	8.46	9.75	8.2	8.2	8.54	9.33	
Southeastern Minn.-									PACIFIC								
Northern Iowa	1.06	7.92	9.21	8.0	8.2	8.00	8.79		Puget Sound	1.85	8.71	10.00	8.0	7.0	8.79	9.58	
									Inland Empire	1.95	8.81	10.10	8.4	8.4	8.89	9.68	
									Oregon-Washington	1.95	8.81	10.10	8.2	8.2	8.89	9.68	

* Generally the major city in the marketing area. See footnotes on table 2 for location.

1/ The basic formula price is the Minnesota-Wisconsin price for the second preceding month adjusted to a 3.5 percent butterfat content.

2/ Tied to the St. Louis-Ozarks order.

3/ Tied to the Oklahoma Metropolitan order.

TABLE 2.—FEDERAL ORDER MINIMUM CLASS AND BLEND PRICES FOR MILK OF 3.5 PERCENT BUTTERFAT CONTENT, F.O.B. MARKET OR OTHER INDICATED POINT* AND BUTTERFAT DIFFERENTIALS, APRIL**

MARKETING AREA	PRICES PER 100 POUNDS						FAT DIFFERENTIAL 0.1%			
	CLASS I		BLEND		CLASS II	CLASS III	CLASS I	CLASS II	CLASS III	BLEND
	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1975			
	DOLLARS						CENTS			
NEW ENGLAND										
BOSTON REGIONAL 1/	9.83	11.12	8.35	9.48	6.91	---	8.0	8.0	---	8.0
CONNECTICUT	9.83	11.12	8.53	9.86	6.91	---	8.0	8.0	---	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	9.83	11.12	8.40	9.59	---	---	8.0	---	---	8.0
MIDDLE ATLANTIC										
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY 3/	9.49	10.78	7.87	8.92	6.93	---	8.0	8.0	---	8.0
MIDDLE ATLANTIC 4/	9.63	10.92	5/8.57	5/9.56	6.87	---	8.0	8.0	---	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	9.54	10.83	8.10	9.12	---	---	8.0	---	---	8.0
SOUTH ATLANTIC										
APPALACHIAN 6/	8.98	10.27	8.42	9.91	6.94	---	8.2	7.5	---	7.9
TAMPA BAY	9.80	11.09	9.48	10.97	7.09	---	7.5	8.0	---	7.6
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA 7/	10.00	11.29	9.70	11.09	7.09	8/3.17	7.5	8.0	8.0	7.6
UPPER FLORIDA 9/	9.70	10.99	9.48	10.70	7.09	---	7.5	8.0	---	7.6
GEORGIA 10/	9.15	10.44	8.68	9.96	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	9.49	10.78	9.07	10.43	---	---	7.8	---	---	7.8
EAST NORTH CENTRAL										
EASTERN GROUP										
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN 11/	8.45	9.74	7.67	9.03	7.09	6.94	7.8	7.8	7.8	7.8
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA. 12/	8.70	9.99	5/7.76	5/8.81	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
OHIO VALLEY 13/	8.55	9.84	7.75	8.85	7.04	6.94	8.2	8.0	8.0	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	8.56	9.85	7.72	8.90	---	---	8.0	---	---	7.9
WESTERN GROUP										
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA 14/ 15/	8.20	9.49	7.49	8.86	6.94	---	8.5	8.0	---	8.3
CHICAGO REGIONAL 16/	8.11	9.40	7.48	8.46	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
LSVILLE-LXGTON-EVNSVILLE	8.34	9.63	7.46	8.51	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
INDIANA 17/	8.32	9.61	5/7.65	5/8.77	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS 18/	8.38	9.67	7.66	8.97	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
CENTRAL ILLINOIS 19/	8.24	9.53	7.45	8.73	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	8.22	9.51	7.52	8.56	---	---	8.0	---	---	8.0
WEST NORTH CENTRAL										
NORTHERN GROUP										
OUTLATH - SUPERIOR	7.95	9.24	7.52	8.57	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	7.91	9.20	7.31	8.23	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA 20/	8.35	9.64	7.66	8.51	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
BLACK HILLS 21/	8.80	10.09	7.92	9.39	6.94	---	8.2	7.6	---	7.8
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA 22/ 23/	8.10	9.39	7.90	9.39	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
CECAR RAPIOS - IOWA CITY	8.18	9.47	7.62	8.95	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
QUAD CITIES - OUBUQUE 24/	8.18	9.47	7.54	8.57	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
OES MOINES	8.25	9.54	7.65	8.69	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IOWA 16/	8.45	9.74	5/7.73	5/8.74	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
MINNESOTA - NORTH DAKOTA 25/	8.15	9.44	7.21	8.10	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
S.E. MINN.-NORTHERN IOWA	7.91	9.20	7.53	8.42	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0
AVERAGE 2/	8.14	9.43	7.46	8.41	---	---	8.0	---	---	8.0

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TABLE 2.—FEDERAL ORDER MINIMUM CLASS AND BLEND PRICES FOR MILK OF 3.5 PERCENT BUTTERFAT CONTENT, F.O.B. MARKET OR OTHER INDICATED POINT,* AND BUTTERFAT DIFFERENTIALS, APRIL** —CON.

MARKETING AREA	PRICES PER 100 POUNDS						FAT DIFFERENTIAL 0.1%							
	CLASS I		BLEND		CLASS II	CLASS III	CLASS I	CLASS II	CLASS III	BLEND				
	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975		APRIL 1975							
DOLLARS											CENTS			
WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.														
SOUTHERN GROUP														
ST LOUIS - OZARKS 26/	8.45	9.74	5/7.65	5/8.78	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
KANSAS CITY 27/	8.59	9.88	5/7.85	5/8.88	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
NEOSHO VALLEY 28/	8.50	9.79	5/8.30	5/8.53	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
WICHITA 16/	8.65	9.94	5/8.21	5/9.30	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
AVERAGE 2/	8.51	9.80	7.77	8.85	---	---	8.0	---	---	8.0				
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL														
PADUCAH	8.55	9.84	7.73	9.17	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
NASHVILLE	8.43	9.72	7.87	8.73	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
MEMPHIS 23/	8.79	10.08	5/8.55	5/9.77	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
KNOXVILLE	8.55	9.84	8.16	9.44	6.94	---	8.2	8.0	---	8.2				
CHATTANOOGA	9.00	10.29	8.48	9.33	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
AVERAGE 2/	8.69	9.98	8.19	9.21	---	---	8.0	---	---	8.0				
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL														
NORTHERN GROUP														
CENTRAL ARKANSAS 29/	8.79	10.08	5/8.39	5/9.52	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN 31/	8.83	10.12	5/8.04	5/9.11	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
RED RIVER VALLEY 32/	9.05	10.34	5/8.32	5/9.82	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
TEXAS PANHANDLE 33/	9.10	10.39	5/8.65	5/9.73	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
LUBBOCK - PLAINVIEW	9.27	10.56	5/9.03	5/10.32	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
AVERAGE 2/	8.89	10.18	8.24	9.37	---	---	8.0	---	---	8.0				
SOUTHERN GROUP														
NORTHERN LOUISIANA 34/	9.32	10.61	8.94	9.87	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
NEW ORLEANS	9.70	10.99	8.43	9.34	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
NORTH TEXAS 35/	9.17	10.46	5/8.26	5/9.43	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS 36/	9.42	10.71	5/9.08	5/10.38	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
AUSTIN - WACO 37/	9.55	10.84	5/9.02	5/10.14	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
SAN ANTONIO	9.59	10.88	5/9.45	5/10.58	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
CORPUS CHRISTI 38/	9.92	11.21	5/9.51	5/10.92	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
SOUTH TEXAS 39/	9.53	10.82	5/8.82	5/9.47	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
AVERAGE 2/	9.43	10.72	8.64	9.64	---	---	8.0	---	---	8.0				
MOUNTAIN														
EASTERN COLORADO 40/	9.15	10.44	8.55	9.64	7.09	6.94	8.8	8.3	8.3	8.6				
GREAT BASIN 41/	8.75	10.04	7.99	9.00	7.09	6.94	8.2	8.0	8.0	8.1				
WESTERN COLORADO 42/	8.85	10.14	8.56	9.45	6.99	6.94	8.2	8.3	8.3	8.2				
CENTRAL ARIZONA 43/	9.37	10.66	8.43	9.55	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
RIO GRANDE VALLEY 44/	9.20	10.49	5/8.73	5/9.97	7.04	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
LAKE MEAD 45/	8.45	9.74	7.92	9.08	7.09	6.94	8.2	8.0	8.0	8.1				
AVERAGE 2/	9.19	10.48	8.50	9.62	---	---	8.3	---	---	8.2				
PACIFIC														
PUGET SOUND 46/	8.70	9.99	7.75	8.65	7.19	6.94	8.0	8.0	8.0	8.0				
INLAND EMPIRE 47/	8.80	10.09	8.01	9.12	7.19	6.94	8.4	8.0	8.0	8.2				
OREGON - WASHINGTON 48/	8.80	10.09	8.05	9.11	7.19	6.94	8.2	8.0	8.0	8.1				
AVERAGE 2/	8.76	10.05	7.90	8.87	---	---	8.1	---	---	8.0				
59-MARKET AVERAGE 2/ 29/	8.95	10.24	7.97	9.05	49/ 6.95	---	8.0	---	---	8.0				
ALL-MARKET AVERAGE 29/	8.95	10.24	7.97	9.05	49/ 6.95	---	8.0	---	---	8.0				

* Major city in the marketing area. ** All averages are weighted. 1/ Boston nearby plant price. Price at 201-210 mile zone: Class I and blend, 40 cents less; Class II, 5.8 cents less. 2/ Markets under regulation on January 1, 1974, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Great Basin. 3/ New York metropolitan area. Price excludes a 5-cent direct delivery differential. Prices at 201-210 mile zone: Class I and blend, 24 cents less; Class II, 8 cents less. 4/ Philadelphia, and Washington, D.C. Price excludes a 6-cent direct delivery differential applicable to milk delivered to Philadelphia. 5/ Blend price excludes a 5-cent deduction for the advertising and promotion program. 6/ Bristol, Tennessee. 7/ Miami. 8/ Applies to the skim milk portion of all milk which is either disposed of for fertilizer or livestock feed or dumped. 9/ Jacksonville and Tallahassee. 10/ Atlanta. 11/ Detroit. Price excludes an 8-cent direct delivery differential applicable to milk delivered to Detroit. 12/ Zone I (Erie, Pennsylvania). Class I and blend price for zone 3 (Cleveland) plus 8 cents; for zone 4 (Pittsburgh) plus 10 cents. 13/ Central zone (Cincinnati and Columbus). Class I and blend price at Toledo (Northwestern zone) 5 cents less and at Charleston, West Virginia (Southeastern zone) 5 cents more. 14/ Zone II (Marquette). 15/ Weighted average of all handlers' blend prices at all locations, 1975-74. 16/ Zone I. 17/ Indianapolis. 18/ Base zone (Alton). 19/ Peoria. 20/ Sioux Falls. 21/ Rapid City, South Dakota. 22/ Zone I (Waterloo). 23/ Blend prices are weighted average of all handlers, 1975-74. 24/ Rock Island, Illinois. 25/ Base zone (Fargo). 26/ Zone I (St. Louis). 27/ Kansas City and Topeka. 28/ Pittsburg, Kansas. 29/ Excludes Fort Smith. Fewer than three handlers. Fort Smith prices: Class I 1975, \$8.80 and 1974, \$10.09; Blend 5/ 1975, \$8.64 and 1974, \$9.77; Class II 1975, \$7.04 and 1974, \$7.73; Class III 1975 \$6.94. Fat differential: Class I 1975, 8.0¢ and 1974, 8.5¢; Class II 1975, 8.0¢ and 1974, 7.8¢; Class III 1975, 8.0¢ and 1974, 8.2¢. 30/ Little Rock. 31/ Oklahoma City. 32/ Wichita Falls, Texas. 33/ Amarillo. 34/ Monroe and Shreveport. 35/ Zone I (Dallas). 36/ Abilene. 37/ Zone I—New Braunfels, Texas. 38/ Mercedes. 39/ Houston. 40/ Denver. 41/ Salt Lake City, Utah. 42/ Grand Junction. 43/ Phoenix. 44/ Albuquerque, Santa Fe, and El Paso. 45/ Las Vegas, Nevada. 46/ District I (Seattle). 47/ Spokane, Washington. 48/ Portland. 49/ A weighted average price for milk in excess of Class I needs, calculated as follows: (producer deliveries used in Class II times the Class II price) plus (producer deliveries used in Class III times the Class III price) divided by (total producer deliveries in excess of Class I needs).

TABLE 3.—FEDERAL ORDER MINIMUM CLASS 1 AND BLEND PRICES FOR MILK OF 3.5 PERCENT BUTTERFAT CONTENT, F.D.B.
MARKET OR OTHER INDICATED POINT, JANUARY - APRIL, AVERAGES 1/

MARKETING AREA	CLASS 1*			BLEND*		
	1975	1974	CHANGE	1975	1974	CHANGE
			1975 OVER 1974			1975 OVER 1974
DOLLARS PER 100 POUNDS						
NEW ENGLAND						
BOSTON REGIONAL	9.79	10.93	1.14-	8.59	9.52	0.93-
CONNECTICUT	9.79	10.93	1.14-	8.75	9.86	1.11-
AVERAGE 2/	9.79	10.93	1.14-	8.64	9.62	.98-
MIDDLE ATLANTIC						
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY	9.45	10.59	1.14-	8.12	8.95	.83-
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	9.59	10.73	1.14-	8.54	9.39	.85-
AVERAGE 2/	9.50	10.64	1.14-	8.26	9.09	.83-
SOUTH ATLANTIC						
APPALACHIAN	8.94	10.09	1.15-	8.54	9.75	1.21-
TAMPA BAY	9.76	10.91	1.15-	9.54	10.79	1.25-
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	9.96	11.11	1.15-	9.77	10.95	1.13-
UPPER FLORIDA	9.66	10.80	1.14-	9.53	10.66	1.13-
GEORGIA	9.11	10.26	1.15-	8.69	9.86	1.17-
AVERAGE 2/	9.45	10.60	1.15-	9.13	10.32	1.19-
EAST NORTH CENTRAL						
EASTERN GROUP						
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	8.41	9.55	1.14-	7.76	8.80	1.04-
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA.	8.66	9.80	1.14-	7.95	8.85	.90-
OHIO VALLEY	8.51	9.65	1.14-	7.90	8.88	.98-
AVERAGE 2/	8.52	9.66	1.14-	7.86	8.84	.98-
WESTERN GROUP						
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA	8.16	9.30	1.14-	7.68	8.82	1.14-
CHICAGO REGIONAL	8.07	9.21	1.14-	7.44	8.60	1.16-
LSVILLE-LXGTON-EVNSVILLE	8.30	9.44	1.14-	7.79	8.91	1.12-
INDIANA	8.28	9.43	1.15-	7.78	8.70	.92-
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	8.34	9.48	1.14-	7.77	8.98	1.21-
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	8.20	9.34	1.14-	7.55	8.80	1.25-
AVERAGE 2/	8.18	9.32	1.14-	7.55	8.68	1.13-
WEST NORTH CENTRAL						
NORTHERN GROUP						
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	7.91	9.05	1.14-	7.51	8.21	.70-
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	7.87	9.00	1.13-	7.26	8.39	1.13-
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA	8.32	9.45	1.13-	7.59	8.63	1.04-
BLACK HILLS	8.76	9.90	1.14-	7.88	8.72	.84-
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	8.06	9.21	1.15-	7.37	9.12	1.25-
CECAR RAPIDS - IOWA CITY	8.14	9.28	1.14-	7.62	3.94	1.32-
QUAD CITIES - DUBUQUE	8.14	9.28	1.14-	7.51	8.68	1.17-
DES MOINES	8.21	9.35	1.14-	7.61	8.72	1.11-
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IOWA	8.41	9.55	1.14-	7.69	8.82	1.13-
MINNESOTA - NORTH DAKOTA	8.11	9.25	1.14-	7.15	8.29	1.14-
S.E. MINN.-NORTHERN IOWA	7.87	9.01	1.14-	7.45	8.50	1.05-
AVERAGE 2/	8.10	9.23	1.13-	7.41	8.52	1.11-

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TABLE 3.—FEDERAL ORDER MINIMUM CLASS I AND BLEND PRICES FOR MILK OF 3.5 PERCENT BUTTERFAT CONTENT, F.D.8.
MARKET OR OTHER INDICATED POINT, JANUARY - APRIL, AVERAGE 1/ -CON.

MARKETING AREA	CLASS I *			BLEND *		
	1975	1974	CHANGE 1975 OVER 1974	1975	1974	CHANGE 1975 OVER 1974
DOLLARS PER 100 POUNDS						
WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.						
SOUTHERN GROUP						
ST LOUIS - OZARKS	8.41	9.55	1.14-	7.79	8.88	1.09-
KANSAS CITY	8.55	9.68	1.13-	7.85	8.99	1.14-
NEOSHO VALLEY	8.46	9.59	1.13-	8.29	8.74	.45-
WICHITA	8.61	9.76	1.15-	8.20	9.15	.95-
AVERAGE 2/	8.48	9.61	1.13-	7.85	8.94	1.09-
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL						
PADUCAH	8.52	9.66	1.14-	8.27	9.58	1.31-
NASHVILLE	8.39	9.53	1.14-	7.78	8.90	1.12-
MEMPHIS	8.76	9.89	1.13-	8.53	9.68	1.15-
KNOXVILLE	8.51	9.64	1.13-	8.17	9.33	1.16-
CHATTANOOGA	8.96	10.10	1.14-	8.49	9.39	.90-
AVERAGE 2/	8.66	9.79	1.13-	8.20	9.30	1.10-
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL						
NORTHERN GROUP 3/						
CENTRAL ARKANSAS	8.76	9.90	1.14-	8.47	9.51	1.04-
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	8.79	9.93	1.14-	8.10	9.23	1.13-
RED RIVER VALLEY	9.01	10.15	1.14-	8.36	9.59	1.23-
TEXAS PANHANDLE	9.06	10.21	1.15-	8.70	9.48	.78-
LUBBOCK - PLAINVIEW	9.23	10.37	1.14-	8.96	10.12	1.16-
AVERAGE 2/	8.85	9.99	1.14-	8.30	9.40	1.10-
SOUTHERN GROUP						
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	9.28	10.43	1.15-	8.97	9.78	.81-
NEW ORLEANS	9.66	10.80	1.14-	8.51	9.51	1.00-
NORTH TEXAS	9.13	10.27	1.14-	8.31	9.24	.93-
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	9.38	10.52	1.14-	9.03	10.16	1.13-
AUSTIN - WACO	9.52	10.66	1.14-	9.00	9.90	.90-
SAN ANTONIO	9.55	10.69	1.14-	9.32	10.36	1.04-
CORPUS CHRISTI	9.88	11.03	1.15-	9.40	10.65	1.25-
SOUTH TEXAS	9.49	10.63	1.14-	8.87	9.46	.59-
AVERAGE 2/	9.40	10.54	1.14-	8.68	9.57	.89-
MOUNTAIN						
EASTERN COLORADO	9.11	10.25	1.14-	8.56	9.68	1.12-
GREAT BASIN	8.72	9.85	1.13-	7.95	9.06	1.11-
WESTERN COLORADO	8.81	9.95	1.14-	8.46	9.41	.95-
CENTRAL ARIZONA	9.33	10.47	1.14-	8.46	9.31	.85-
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	9.16	10.30	1.14-	8.76	9.73	.97-
LAKE MEAD	8.41	9.55	1.14-	7.97	9.15	1.18-
AVERAGE 2/	9.15	10.29	1.14-	8.52	9.52	1.00-
PACIFIC						
PUGET SOUND	8.66	9.80	1.14-	7.71	8.36	.65-
INLAND EMPIRE	8.76	9.90	1.14-	8.01	8.86	.85-
OREGON - WASHINGTON	8.76	9.90	1.14-	8.06	8.91	.85-
AVERAGE 2/	8.72	9.86	1.14-	7.88	8.62	.74-
59-MARKET AVERAGE 2/ 3/	8.91	10.05	1.14-	8.05	9.05	1.00-
ALL-MARKET AVERAGE 2/	8.91	10.05	1.14-	8.05	9.05	1.00-

* All averages are weighted.

1/ See footnotes on table 2 for location at which price is reported.

2/ Based on markets where orders were effective entire period, 1974-75, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Great Basin.

3/ Excludes Fort Smith. Fewer than three handlers.

TABLE 4.—NUMBER OF PRODUCERS DELIVERING MILK TO HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS, TOTAL DELIVERIES, AND AVERAGE DAILY DELIVERIES PER PRODUCER, APRIL

MARKETING AREA	NUMBER OF PRODUCERS		PRODUCER DELIVERIES			AVERAGE BUTTERFAT PERCENTAGE OF MILK DELIVERIES		AVERAGE DAILY DELIVERIES PER PRODUCER	
	APRIL 1975	CHANGE FROM APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	CHANGE FROM APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974
	NUMBER		1,000 LBS.		PERCENT	PERCENT		POUNDS	
NEW ENGLAND									
BOSTON REGIONAL	6,468	280-	289,660	286,583	1.1	3.66	3.65	1,493	1,416
CONNECTICUT	2,001	182	129,809	114,684	13.2	3.69	3.68	2,162	2,102
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	8,469	98-	419,469	401,267	4.5	3.67	3.66	—	—
MIDDLE ATLANTIC									
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY	20,615	688-	852,630	839,248	1.6	3.66	3.61	1,379	1,313
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	7,629	208-	404,123	392,777	2.9	3.76	3.72	1,766	1,671
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	28,244	896-	1,256,753	1,232,025	2.0	3.69	3.64	—	—
SOUTH ATLANTIC									
APPALACHIAN	1,043	21-	47,950	44,068	8.8	3.67	3.58	1,532	1,381
TAMPA BAY	203	25	42,768	40,358	6.0	3.41	3.50	12,010	11,780
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	204	110	66,477	63,652	4.4	3.57	3.56	12,256	27,202
UPPER FLORIDA	187	6-	51,087	56,794	10.0-	3.46	3.53	9,688	10,404
GEORGIA	1,369	184	122,823	118,037	4.0	3.58	3.56	2,991	3,320
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	3,006	292	331,105	322,909	2.5	3.55	3.55	—	—
EAST NORTH CENTRAL									
EASTERN GROUP									
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	7,262	162-	313,277	312,414	.3	3.79	3.76	1,438	1,403
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA.	8,122	327-	288,913	282,240	2.4	3.77	3.71	1,186	1,114
OHIO VALLEY	6,560	347-	246,312	239,529	2.8	3.79	3.73	1,252	1,156
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	21,944	836-	848,502	834,183	1.7	3.78	3.73	—	—
WESTERN GROUP									
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA	278	0	7,980	8,173	2.4-	3.77	3.71	957	980
CHICAGO REGIONAL	17,444	1,217	772,791	708,413	9.1	3.80	3.73	1,477	1,455
LSVILLE-LXGTON-EVNSVILLE	2,364	198-	98,767	100,921	2.1-	3.70	3.64	1,393	1,313
INOIANA	4,281	34	181,413	172,452	5.2	3.83	3.78	1,413	1,354
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	2,078	50-	90,132	89,156	1.1	3.74	3.70	1,446	1,397
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	503	147	18,945	12,505	51.5	3.78	3.75	1,255	1,171
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	26,948	1,150	1,170,028	1,091,620	7.2	3.79	3.73	—	—
WEST NORTH CENTRAL									
NORTHERN GROUP									
OUTLUTH - SUPERIOR	432	12	13,309	12,883	3.3	3.70	3.75	1,027	1,022
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	5,846	116	258,513	254,261	1.7	3.77	3.73	1,474	1,479
EASTERN SOUTH OAKOTA	482	10-	24,518	25,921	5.4-	3.60	3.59	1,683	1,756
BLACK HILLS	100	7	5,297	3,663	44.6	3.68	3.53	2,017	2,228
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	403	158	13,002	7,954	63.5	3.81	3.82	1,441	1,475
CEAR RAPIDS - IOWA CITY	378	103	14,092	10,108	39.4	3.77	3.80	1,301	1,311
QUAD CITIES - OUBUQUE	888	124-	33,043	38,880	15.0-	3.80	3.78	1,370	1,346
OES MOINES	1,518	167	56,955	51,079	11.5	3.86	3.85	1,371	1,360
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IOWA	1,728	91	88,809	85,636	3.7	3.76	3.66	1,779	1,758
MINNESOTA - NCRTH OAKOTA	1,972	167	80,068	76,617	4.5	3.66	3.59	1,353	1,415
S.E. MINN.-NORTHERN IOWA	711	110-	35,210	40,221	12.4-	3.78	3.68	1,651	1,633
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	14,458	577	622,816	607,223	2.6	3.76	3.71	—	—

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TABLE 4.—NUMBER OF PRODUCERS DELIVERING MILK TO HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS, TOTAL DELIVERIES, AND AVERAGE DAILY DELIVERIES PER PRODUCER, APRIL —CON.

MARKETING AREA	NUMBER OF PRODUCERS		PRODUCER DELIVERIES			AVERAGE BUTTERFAT PERCENTAGE OF MILK DELIVERIES ¹		AVERAGE DAILY DELIVERIES PER PRODUCER	
	APRIL 1975	CHANGE FROM APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	CHANGE FROM APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974
	NUMBER		1,000 LBS.		PERCENT	PERCENT		POUNDS	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL —CON.									
SOUTHERN GROUP									
ST LOUIS — OZARKS	2,894	294-	141,380	157,441	10.2-	3.59	3.57	1,628	1,646
KANSAS CITY	1,916	39-	91,391	91,681	.3-	3.69	3.54	1,590	1,563
NEOSHO VALLEY	27	11	323	728	55.6-	3.67	3.56	1,782	1,555
WICHITA	606	94	22,589	20,894	8.1	3.62	3.58	1,958	1,845
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	5,443	228-	255,683	270,744	5.6-	3.63	3.56	—	—
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL									
PAQUCAH	260	27	11,642	10,437	11.5	3.86	3.83	1,493	1,493
NASHVILLE	927	17-	49,455	49,367	.2	3.66	3.64	1,778	1,743
MEMPHIS	793	100	35,656	30,916	15.3	3.59	3.56	1,845	2,108
KNOXVILLE	328	11-	14,258	11,792	20.9	3.59	3.60	1,449	1,159
CHATTANOOGA	562	188-	30,442	35,368	13.9-	3.78	3.73	1,806	1,572
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	2,870	89-	141,453	137,880	2.6	3.68	3.66	—	—
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL									
NORTHERN GROUP									
CENTRAL ARKANSAS—FORT SMITH 2/	638	85-	32,783	31,985	2.5	3.42	3.47	2,108	2,164
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	1,647	107-	70,916	73,071	2.9-	3.49	3.46	2,015	2,011
RED RIVER VALLEY	251	53-	12,054	11,683	3.2	3.49	3.41	2,017	2,166
TEXAS PANHANDLE	271	10	7,898	8,019	1.5-	3.45	3.45	2,238	2,709
LUBBOCK — PLAINVIEW	176	90	6,467	5,929	9.1	3.48	3.53	3,980	4,284
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	2,983	145-	130,118	130,687	.4-	3.47	3.46	—	—
SOUTHERN GROUP									
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	251	12	21,570	22,493	4.1-	3.60	3.57	2,865	3,137
NEW ORLEANS	930	89-	57,497	60,586	5.1-	3.61	3.57	2,061	1,982
NORTH TEXAS	2,410	46	150,816	134,377	12.2	3.41	3.44	2,086	1,895
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	159	74-	12,287	13,607	9.7-	3.30	3.36	2,576	1,947
AUSTIN — WACO	300	125	13,273	11,490	15.5	3.36	3.36	1,475	2,274
SAN ANTONIO	550	7-	27,259	26,901	1.3	3.43	3.46	1,652	1,610
CORPUS CHRISTI	227	20	17,096	15,112	13.1	3.67	3.70	2,510	2,433
SOUTH TEXAS	1,745	88-	87,953	102,472	14.2-	3.45	3.41	1,680	2,452
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	6,572	55-	387,751	387,038	.2	3.47	3.47	—	—
MOUNTAIN									
EASTERN COLORADO	1,151	93	74,608	70,627	5.6	3.63	3.58	2,161	2,225
GREAT BASIN	825	60	58,992	48,967	20.5	3.67	3.64	2,384	2,134
WESTERN COLORADO	49	0	3,580	3,954	9.4-	3.70	3.62	2,435	2,690
CENTRAL ARIZONA	158	3-	67,740	67,398	.5	3.54	3.49	14,291	13,811
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	217	13	33,603	30,171	11.4	3.48	3.54	7,447	6,962
LAKE MEAD	43	5-	11,009	11,211	1.8-	3.49	3.44	8,534	7,785
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	1,618	98	190,540	183,361	3.9	3.56	3.53	—	—
PACIFIC									
PUGET SOUND	1,352	89-	121,350	128,554	5.6-	3.78	3.75	2,992	2,974
INLAND EMPIRE	355	11	20,982	23,000	8.8-	3.75	3.72	1,970	2,229
OREGON — WASHINGTON	1,098	42	106,888	97,901	9.2	3.83	3.79	3,245	3,090
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	2,805	36-	249,220	249,455	.1-	3.80	3.76	—	—
60-MARKET AVG. OR TOTAL 1/	125,360	266-	6,003,438	5,848,392	2.6	3.70	3.66	1,596	1,552
ALL-MARKET AVG. OR TOTAL	126,185	206-	6,062,430	5,897,359	2.8	3.70	3.66	1,601	1,555

1/ Based on markets where orders were effective entire period, 1974-75, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Great Basin.

2/ The data for the Central Arkansas and Fort Smith markets have been combined in order to mask restricted data.

TABLE 5.—PRODUCER MILK DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I AND GROSS CLASS I SALES BY HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS, APRIL

MARKETING AREA	PRODUCER DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I			% USED IN CL. I		GROSS CLASS I*		DELIVERIES AS % OF GR. CL. I	
	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	CHANGE FROM APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	CHANGE FROM APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974
	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	PERCENT		1,000 LBS	PERCENT	PERCENT	
NEW ENGLAND									
BOSTON REGIONAL	161,077	163,897	1.7-	56	57	168,905	1.2	171	172
CONNECTICUT	85,358	82,483	3.5	66	72	85,372	3.2	152	139
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	246,435	246,380	0	59	61	---	---	---	---
MIDDLE ATLANTIC									
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY	402,816	400,209	.6	47	48	402,816	.6	212	210
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	254,100	232,783	9.2	63	59	268,642	8.5	150	159
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	656,916	632,992	3.8	52	51	---	---	---	---
SOUTH ATLANTIC									
APPALACHIAN	34,811	38,795	10.3-	72	88	35,163	9.9-	136	113
TAMPA BAY	36,816	37,960	3.0-	86	94	37,449	2.9-	114	105
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	57,874	59,238	2.3-	87	93	58,754	1.0-	113	107
UPPER FLORIDA	45,047	50,005	9.9-	88	88	46,766	8.5-	109	111
GEORGIA	95,571	97,406	1.9-	78	82	97,804	10.4-	126	108
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	270,119	283,404	4.7-	82	88	---	---	---	---
EAST NORTH CENTRAL									
EASTERN GROUP									
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	197,934	197,609	.2	63	63	198,051	0	158	158
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA.	182,842	170,180	7.4	63	60	183,291	7.3	158	165
OHIO VALLEY	159,290	152,853	4.2	65	64	173,207	4.4	142	144
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	540,066	520,642	3.7	64	62	---	---	---	---
WESTERN GROUP									
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA	4,933	5,113	9.4-	62	66	5,304	6.0-	150	145
CHICAGO REGIONAL	268,934	262,390	2.5	35	37	268,974	2.1	287	269
LSVILLE-LXGTON-EVNSVILLE	64,654	65,130	.7-	65	64	65,266	.8-	151	153
INDIANA	118,661	117,378	1.1	65	68	119,060	.4	152	145
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	52,213	50,517	3.4	58	57	52,945	2.5-	170	164
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	10,376	6,806	52.4	55	54	11,235	47.9	169	165
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	519,771	507,664	2.4	44	46	---	---	---	---
WEST NORTH CENTRAL									
NORTHERN GROUP									
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	7,388	7,053	4.7	56	55	7,395	4.2	180	182
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	77,249	74,856	3.2	30	29	77,412	2.6	334	337
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA	11,485	10,745	6.9	47	41	12,035	8.6	204	234
BLACK HILLS	2,779	2,643	5.1	52	72	2,856	5.3	185	135
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	10,442	7,765	34.5	80	98	10,442	28.5	124	98
CECER RAPIDS - IOWA CITY	7,660	7,394	3.6	54	73	8,671	15.9	162	135
QUAO CITIES - DUBUQUE	14,414	19,791	27.2-	44	51	14,493	27.1-	228	195
DES MOINES	26,079	25,057	4.1	46	45	26,656	6.4	214	204
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IOWA	47,708	45,739	4.3	54	53	47,708	3.3	186	185
MINNESOTA - NORTH DAKOTA	15,625	15,428	1.3	20	20	15,625	1.1	512	496
S.E. MINN.-NORTHERN IOWA	19,174	18,234	5.2	54	45	19,174	.1	184	210
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	240,003	234,705	2.2	38	39	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 5.—PRODUCER MILK DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I AND GROSS CLASS I SALES BY HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS, APRIL —CON.

MARKETING AREA	PRODUCER DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I			% USED IN CL. I		GROSS CLASS I *		DELIVERIES AS % OF GR. CL. I	
	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	CHANGE FROM APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	CHANGE FROM APRIL 1974	APRIL 1975	APRIL 1974
	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	PERCENT		1,000 LBS	PERCENT	PERCENT	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL —CON.									
SOUTHERN GROUP									
ST LOUIS — OZARKS	91,763	89,236	2.8	65	57	96,948	2.6	146	166
KANSAS CITY	48,273	47,904	.8	53	52	50,220	4.1	182	190
NEOSHO VALLEY	297	311	4.5-	92	43	299	16.0-	108	204
WICHITA	16,872	15,394	9.6	75	74	17,073	10.3	132	135
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	157,205	152,845	2.8	61	56	---	---	---	---
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL									
PACUCAH	9,278	9,622	3.6-	80	92	9,590	3.2-	121	105
NASHVILLE	25,818	25,288	2.1	52	51	26,045	1.0	190	191
MEMPHIS	28,069	27,440	2.3	79	89	33,549	18.0	106	109
KNOXVILLE	10,990	9,740	12.8	77	82	11,319	12.9	126	118
CHATTANOOGA	22,794	22,327	2.1	75	63	22,819	2.0	133	158
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	96,949	94,417	2.7	68	68	---	---	---	---
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL									
NORTHERN GROUP									
CENTRAL ARKANSAS—FORT SMITH 2/	26,710	25,419	5.1	81	79	28,035	4.2	117	119
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	40,512	41,770	3.0-	57	57	44,639	5.8	159	173
REO RIVER VALLEY	7,783	8,841	12.0-	64	76	7,829	11.4-	154	132
TEXAS PANHANDLE	6,451	6,191	4.2	82	77	6,451	4.0	122	129
LUBBOCK — PLAINVIEW	5,826	5,600	4.0	90	94	5,826	3.2	111	105
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	87,282	87,821	.6-	67	67	---	---	---	---
SOUTHERN GROUP									
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	17,781	16,509	7.7	82	73	17,797	.4	121	127
NEW ORLEANS	29,093	28,078	3.6	50	46	29,103	3.0	198	214
NORTH TEXAS	88,713	83,020	6.8	59	62	89,688	7.0	168	160
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	10,820	12,381	12.6-	88	91	10,820	15.3-	114	106
AUSTIN — WACO	10,577	10,053	5.2	80	87	10,577	4.6	125	114
SAN ANTONIO	25,642	25,022	2.5	94	93	26,996	5.2-	101	94
CORPUS CHRISTI	14,481	13,820	4.8	85	91	15,419	2.8	111	101
SOUTH TEXAS	58,899	53,778	9.5	67	52	61,259	4.1	144	174
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	256,006	242,661	5.5	66	63	---	---	---	---
MOUNTAIN									
EASTERN COLORADO	48,933	46,646	4.9	66	66	51,649	4.9	144	143
GREAT BASIN	32,522	26,727	21.7	55	54	34,072	22.0	173	175
WESTERN COLORADO	2,987	2,821	5.9	83	71	3,057	6.1	117	137
CENTRAL ARIZONA	41,147	41,495	.8-	61	62	41,160	.9-	164	162
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	26,840	24,827	8.1	80	82	26,983	6.1	124	119
LAKE MEAD	6,365	6,817	6.6-	58	61	6,400	9.0-	172	159
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	126,272	122,606	3.0	66	67	---	---	---	---
PACIFIC									
PUGET SOUND	51,553	48,666	5.9	42	38	53,913	5.4	225	251
INLAND EMPIRE	11,886	13,310	10.7-	57	58	12,360	7.7-	170	172
OREGON — WASHINGTON	61,129	55,754	9.6	57	57	64,203	8.6	166	166
AVERAGE OR TOTAL 1/	124,568	117,730	5.8	50	47	---	---	---	---
60-MARKET AVG. OR TOTAL 1/	3,321,592	3,243,867	2.4	55	55	3,403,503	2.1	176	176
ALL-MARKET AVG. OR TOTAL	3,354,114	3,270,594	2.6	55	55	3,437,575	2.3	176	176

* Preliminary.

1/ Based on markets where orders were effective entire period, 1974-75, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Great Basin.

2/ The data for the Central Arkansas and Fort Smith markets have been combined in order to mask restricted data.

3/ May include some duplication due to intermarket transfers.

Table 6.—Producer milk deliveries used in Class II by handlers regulated under those Federal orders which have three classes of utilization, April and year to date with comparisons 1/

Marketing area	Producer deliveries : % Used				Producer deliveries : % Used			
	used in Class II		in Cl. II		used in Class II		in Cl. II	
	Apr. : 1975	Apr. : 1974	Apr. : 1975	Apr. : 1974	Cum.* : 1975	Cum.* : 1974	Cum.* : 1975	Cum.* : 1974
	1,000 lbs.		Percent		1,000 lbs.		Percent	
SOUTH ATLANTIC								
Georgia	7,898	NA	6.4	NA	26,749	NA	5.5	NA
EAST NORTH CENTRAL								
Eastern Group								
Southern Michigan	25,663	26,380	8.2	8.4	96,396	93,476	7.8	7.8
Eastern Ohio-W. Pa.	18,305	18,390	6.3	6.5	70,792	69,148	6.4	6.5
Ohio Valley	23,234	19,945	9.4	8.3	85,968	81,980	9.0	8.7
Western Group								
Chicago Regional	100,312	NA	13.0	NA	358,442	NA	12.3	NA
Louis.-Lex.-Evans.	7,273	NA	7.4	NA	27,180	NA	7.3	NA
Indiana	26,837	NA	14.8	NA	97,739	NA	13.9	NA
Southern Illinois	12,227	NA	13.6	NA	43,236	NA	12.4	NA
Central Illinois	2,024	NA	10.7	NA	7,022	NA	9.4	NA
WEST NORTH CENTRAL								
Northern Group								
Duluth-Superior	717	NA	5.4	NA	2,182	NA	4.5	NA
Minneapolis-St. Paul	14,737	NA	5.7	NA	57,977	NA	5.9	NA
Eastern South Dakota	3,372	NA	13.8	NA	11,392	NA	12.0	NA
North Central Iowa	1,469	NA	11.3	NA	4,419	NA	8.4	NA
Cedar Rapids-Iowa City	521	NA	3.7	NA	1,197	NA	2.2	NA
Quad Cities-Dubuque	3,447	NA	10.4	NA	11,997	NA	9.6	NA
Des Moines	4,421	NA	7.8	NA	15,452	NA	7.0	NA
Nebraska-Western Iowa 2/	12,030	5,351	13.5	6.2	41,037	20,454	11.6	6.4
Minnesota-North Dakota	3,630	NA	4.5	NA	13,980	NA	4.5	NA
S.E. Minn.-Northern Iowa	6,354	NA	18.0	NA	22,777	NA	16.3	NA
Southern Group								
St. Louis-Ozarks	19,484	NA	13.8	NA	60,017	NA	11.6	NA
Kansas City 2/	8,076	10,222	8.8	11.1	38,627	36,108	10.8	10.3
Neosho Valley	12	NA	3.7	NA	41	NA	3.0	NA
Wichita	3,103	1,518	13.7	7.3	10,462	6,155	11.7	8.0

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Table 6.—Producer milk deliveries used in Class II by handlers regulated under those Federal orders which have three classes of utilization, April and year to date with comparisons 1/ -Con.

Marketing area	: Producer deliveries : % Used				: Producer deliveries : % Used			
	: used in Class II		: in Cl. II		: used in Class II		: in Cl. II	
	: Apr.	: Apr.	: Apr.	: Apr.	: Cum.*	: Cum.*	: Cum.*	: Cum.*
	: 1975	: 1974	: 1975	: 1974	: 1975	: 1974	: 1975	: 1974
	: 1,000 lb.		: Percent		: 1,000 lb.		: Percent	
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL								
Paducah	: 1,085	: NA	: 9.3	: NA	: 3,589	: NA	: 8.4	: NA
Nashville	: 2,023	: NA	: 4.1	: NA	: 8,209	: NA	: 4.5	: NA
Memphis	: 3,006	: NA	: 8.4	: NA	: 8,309	: NA	: 6.5	: NA
Chattanooga	: 3,264	: NA	: 10.7	: NA	: 10,321	: NA	: 8.8	: NA
WEST NORTH CENTRAL								
Northern Group								
Central Arkansas—								
Fort Smith 3/	: 2,387	: NA	: 7.3	: NA	: 6,824	: NA	: 5.6	: NA
Oklahoma Metropolitan	: 8,860	: NA	: 12.5	: NA	: 29,188	: NA	: 11.2	: NA
Red River Valley	: 1,438	: NA	: 11.9	: NA	: 4,269	: NA	: 9.5	: NA
Texas Panhandle	: 786	: NA	: 10.0	: NA	: 2,921	: NA	: 9.7	: NA
Lubbock-Plainview	: 238	: NA	: 3.7	: NA	: 789	: NA	: 3.1	: NA
Southern Group								
Northern Louisiana	: 792	: NA	: 3.7	: NA	: 3,172	: NA	: 3.9	: NA
New Orleans	: 2,185	: NA	: 3.8	: NA	: 11,236	: NA	: 5.4	: NA
North Texas	: 15,843	: NA	: 10.6	: NA	: 60,999	: NA	: 10.9	: NA
Central West Texas	: 1,152	: NA	: 9.4	: NA	: 3,980	: NA	: 8.4	: NA
Austin-Waco	: 1,932	: NA	: 14.6	: NA	: 6,710	: NA	: 13.7	: NA
San Antonio	: 1,274	: NA	: 4.7	: NA	: 6,005	: NA	: 5.3	: NA
Corpus Christi 2/	: 1,352	: 1,291	: 7.9	: 8.5	: 6,625	: 4,133	: 8.9	: 7.0
South Texas	: 17,372	: NA	: 19.8	: NA	: 56,975	: NA	: 17.5	: NA
MOUNTAIN								
Eastern Colorado	: 7,360	: 6,316	: 9.9	: 8.9	: 26,675	: 22,910	: 9.8	: 8.6
Great Basin	: 4,447	: 5,022	: 7.5	: 10.3	: 16,806	: 17,721	: 7.5	: 9.6
Western Colorado	: 49	: 61	: 1.4	: 1.5	: 184	: 288	: 1.2	: 1.9
Central Arizona 2/	: 9,367	: 6,092	: 13.8	: 9.0	: 36,009	: 23,464	: 13.8	: 9.1
Rio Grande Valley	: 4,542	: NA	: 13.5	: NA	: 16,327	: NA	: 12.7	: NA
Lake Mead	: 578	: 579	: 5.3	: 5.2	: 2,342	: 2,597	: 5.7	: 6.5
PACIFIC								
Puget Sound	: 18,593	: 18,706	: 15.3	: 14.6	: 71,913	: 67,437	: 15.5	: 13.7
Inland Empire	: 2,138	: 1,826	: 10.2	: 7.9	: 7,820	: 6,764	: 9.8	: 7.7
Oregon-Washington	: 15,572	: 15,450	: 14.6	: 15.8	: 55,121	: 56,544	: 13.8	: 15.3

* Year to date.

NA - Not applicable; markets did not have three classes until August 1974.

1/ Excludes Southeastern Florida; Class III only applies to the skim milk portion of all milk disposed of for fertilizer or livestock feed or dumped.

2/ The amount of producer deliveries used in Class II for the previous year is not comparable to the present year due to the reutilization scheme put into effect in August 1974.

3/ The data for the Central Arkansas and Fort Smith markets have been combined in order to mask restricted data.

TABLE 7.—PRODUCER MILK DELIVERIES TO HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS AND DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I
JANUARY - APRIL

MARKETING AREA	PRODUCER DELIVERIES			PRODUCER DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I			% USED IN CL. I	
	1975	1974	CHANGE 1975 OVER 1974	1975	1974	CHANGE 1975 OVER 1974	1975	1974
	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS	PERCENT	1,000 POUNDS	1,000 POUNDS	PERCENT	PERCENT	PERCENT
NEW ENGLAND								
BOSTON REGIONAL	1,082,452	1,076,559	0.5	643,954	660,996	2.6-	59	61
CONNECTICUT	507,565	444,527	14.2	347,418	329,178	5.5	68	74
TOTAL 1/	1,590,017	1,521,086	4.5	991,372	990,174	.1	62	65
MIDDLE ATLANTIC								
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY	3,185,959	3,117,366	2.2	1,627,968	1,630,040	.1-	51	52
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	1,585,361	1,516,455	4.5	993,615	936,791	6.1	63	62
TOTAL 1/	4,771,320	4,633,821	3.0	2,621,583	2,566,831	2.1	55	55
SOUTH ATLANTIC								
APPALACHIAN	176,840	169,461	4.4	143,980	149,581	3.7-	81	88
TAMPA BAY	167,234	159,377	4.9	150,730	150,016	.5	90	94
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	260,066	250,094	4.0	239,422	234,322	2.2	92	94
UPPER FLORIDA	210,665	216,298	2.6-	194,014	199,749	2.9-	92	92
GEORGIA	485,477	456,194	6.4	393,752	374,847	5.0	81	82
TOTAL 1/	1,300,282	1,251,424	3.9	1,121,898	1,108,515	1.2	86	88
EAST NORTH CENTRAL								
EASTERN GROUP								
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	1,232,371	1,205,404	2.2	794,749	792,800	.2	64	66
EASTERN OHIO-WESTERN PA.	1,101,527	1,064,547	3.5	726,888	683,007	6.4	66	64
OHIO VALLEY	956,009	939,850	1.7	632,154	625,805	1.0	66	66
TOTAL 1/	3,289,907	3,209,801	2.5	2,153,791	2,101,612	2.5	65	65
WESTERN GROUP								
MICHIGAN UPPER PENINSULA	30,935	33,448	7.5-	20,000	21,727	7.9-	65	65
CHICAGO REGIONAL	2,903,512	2,661,645	9.1	1,082,790	1,074,963	.7	37	40
LSVILLE-LXGTON-EVNSVILLE	371,431	370,530	.2	264,904	264,393	.2	71	71
INDIANA	701,893	647,883	8.3	471,444	460,975	2.3	67	71
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	349,546	341,513	2.4	208,132	196,252	6.0	60	57
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	74,415	48,864	52.3	41,377	27,996	47.8	56	57
TOTAL 1/	4,431,732	4,103,883	8.0	2,088,647	2,046,306	2.1	47	50
WEST NORTH CENTRAL								
NORTHERN GROUP								
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	48,884	48,915	.1-	29,083	28,008	3.8	59	57
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	989,495	976,262	1.4	315,686	316,935	.4-	32	32
EASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA	94,717	99,105	4.4-	44,926	43,221	3.9	47	44
BLACK HILLS	20,750	18,505	12.1	11,198	10,622	5.4	54	57
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	52,764	32,621	61.7	43,096	30,440	41.6	82	93
CEDAR RAPIDS - IOWA CITY	53,523	37,684	42.0	31,151	29,316	6.2	58	78
QUAD CITIES - DUBUQUE	125,309	142,673	12.2-	58,104	79,628	27.0-	46	56
DES MOINES	220,541	202,596	8.8	105,368	100,368	5.0	48	50
NEBRASKA - WESTERN IOWA	354,903	321,476	10.4	192,139	183,365	4.8	54	57
MINNESOTA - NORTH DAKOTA	311,585	297,763	4.6	62,682	60,325	3.9	20	20
S.E. MINN.-NORTHERN IOWA	139,733	155,932	10.4-	75,549	73,461	2.8	54	47
TOTAL 1/	2,412,204	2,333,532	3.4	968,982	955,689	1.4	40	41

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TABLE 7.—PRODUCER MILK DELIVERIES TO HANDLERS REGULATED UNDER FEDERAL ORDERS AND DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I
JANUARY - APRIL -CON.

MARKETING AREA	PRODUCER DELIVERIES			PRODUCER DELIVERIES USED IN CLASS I			% USED IN CL. I	
	1975	1974	CHANGE 1975 OVER 1974	1975	1974	CHANGE 1975 OVER 1974	1975	1974
	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	1,000 POUNDS		PERCENT	PERCENT	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.								
SOUTHERN GROUP								
ST LOUIS - OZARKS	517,440	565,706	8.5-	360,484	357,130	0.9	70	63
KANSAS CITY	358,606	350,614	2.3	198,046	200,246	1.1-	55	57
NEOSHO VALLEY	1,347	2,805	52.0-	1,260	1,428	11.8-	94	51
WICHITA	89,141	76,809	16.0	67,992	59,202	14.8	76	77
TOTAL 1/	966,534	995,934	3.0-	627,782	618,006	1.6	65	62
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL								
PADUCAH	42,693	39,084	9.2	36,346	36,422	.2-	85	93
NASHVILLE	181,727	176,031	3.2	102,707	106,861	3.9-	56	61
MEMPHIS	128,132	124,565	2.9	105,532	110,370	4.4-	82	89
KNOXVILLE	54,986	48,686	12.9	44,019	41,193	6.9	80	85
CHATTANOOGA	117,742	130,419	9.7-	90,900	87,001	4.5	77	67
TOTAL 1/	525,280	518,785	1.2	379,504	381,847	.6-	72	74
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL								
NORTHERN GROUP								
CENTRAL ARKANSAS-FORT SMITH 2/	121,320	118,379	2.5	106,140	98,425	7.8	87	83
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	259,833	245,339	5.9	165,592	165,606	0	64	68
RED RIVER VALLEY	44,796	47,182	5.0-	31,025	35,405	12.4-	69	75
TEXAS PANHANDLE	30,023	30,856	2.7-	25,601	24,169	5.9	85	78
LUGBOCK - PLAINVIEW	25,477	23,338	9.2	22,795	22,110	3.1	89	95
TOTAL 1/	481,449	465,094	3.5	351,153	345,715	1.6	73	74
SOUTHERN GROUP								
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	82,044	80,578	1.8	70,602	62,974	12.1	86	78
NEW ORLEANS	209,387	216,302	3.2-	116,991	112,001	4.4	56	52
NORTH TEXAS	560,913	503,055	11.5	357,609	331,764	7.8	64	66
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	47,600	53,673	11.3-	42,359	48,970	13.5-	89	91
AUSTIN - WACO	49,062	45,860	7.0	39,711	39,024	1.8	81	85
SAN ANTONIO	112,769	111,026	1.6	103,973	102,378	1.6	92	92
CORPUS CHRISTI	74,510	59,432	25.4	62,393	54,097	15.3	84	91
SOUTH TEXAS	326,046	352,780	7.6-	231,406	219,393	5.5	71	62
TOTAL 1/	1,462,331	1,422,706	2.8	1,025,044	970,601	5.6	70	68
MOUNTAIN								
EASTERN COLORADO	271,903	265,633	2.4	189,979	186,810	1.7	70	70
GREAT BASIN	224,175	184,499	21.5	126,564	104,273	21.4	56	56
WESTERN COLORADO	15,672	14,949	4.8	12,679	11,683	8.5	81	78
CENTRAL ARIZONA	260,089	258,253	.7	166,235	166,276	0	64	64
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	128,242	119,418	7.4	104,919	100,014	4.9	82	84
LAKE MEAD	41,431	39,733	4.3	26,616	27,158	2.0-	64	68
TOTAL 1/	717,337	697,986	2.8	500,428	491,941	1.7	70	70
PACIFIC								
PUGET SOUND	465,422	491,572	5.3-	202,743	197,272	2.8	44	40
INLAND EMPIRE	79,761	87,538	8.9-	47,799	52,766	9.4-	60	60
OREGON - WASHINGTON	399,474	368,909	8.3	243,336	222,606	9.3	61	60
TOTAL 1/	944,657	948,019	.4-	493,878	472,644	4.5	52	50
60-MARKET TOTAL 1/	22,893,050	22,102,071	3.6	13,324,062	13,049,881	2.1	58	59
ALL-MARKET TOTAL	23,117,225	22,286,570	3.7	13,450,626	13,154,154	2.2	58	59

1/ Based on markets where orders were effective entire period, 1974-75, and which have had no significant marketing area expansions. Excludes Great Basin.

2/ The data for the Central Arkansas and Fort Smith markets have been combined in order to mask restricted data.

TABLE 8.—WHOLE MILK, LOW FAT AND SKIM MILK ITEMS SOLD IN MARKETING AREAS DEFINED BY FEDERAL MILK ORDERS FOR MARKETS WHERE SUCH INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE, MARCH 1975 WITH COMPARISONS 1/

MARKETING AREA	WHOLE MILK 2/				LOWFAT AND SKIM MILK ITEMS 3/				TOTAL			
	MARCH 1975		CHANGE 1975 FROM 1974		MARCH 1975		CHANGE 1975 FROM 1974		MARCH 1975		CHANGE 1975 FROM 1974	
	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	MARCH	YEAR TO DATE	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	MARCH	YEAR TO DATE	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	MARCH	YEAR TO DATE
	1,000 LB.		PERCENT		1,000 LB.		PERCENT		1,000 LB.		PERCENT	
NEW ENGLAND												
BOSTON REGIONAL	5,041	3.45	0.8	0.6	848	1.03	5.7	5.6	5,890	3.10	1.5	1.3
CONNECTICUT	1,858	3.36	- 5.7	- 2.9	397	1.07	15.6	13.9	2,255	2.96	- .8	- .4
MIDDLE ATLANTIC												
MIDDLE ATLANTIC	5,289	3.41	- 5.9	- 4.0	1,512	1.25	23.9	31.4	6,801	2.93	.1	2.1
SOUTH ATLANTIC												
APPALACHIAN	334	3.40	1.4	2.0	102	1.27	3.1	6.9	437	2.93	1.7	3.1
TAMPA BAY	1,159	3.34	- .4	- 2.0	317	1.03	24.0	23.0	1,476	2.84	4.0	2.5
SOUTHEASTERN FLORIDA	1,591	3.39	2.2	1.1	380	1.04	6.1	6.4	1,971	2.94	3.0	2.0
UPPER FLORIDA	1,355	3.31	- 1.2	.3	281	1.15	18.1	18.3	1,637	2.94	1.6	2.9
GEORGIA	1,869	3.35	2.2	1.3	888	1.20	6.8	9.8	2,758	2.69	3.6	3.9
EAST NORTH CENTRAL												
EASTERN GROUP												
SOUTHERN MICHIGAN	4,380	3.48	- 5.6	- 5.2	1,900	.98	11.7	12.4	6,281	2.73	- .9	- .6
E. OHIO - W. PA.	4,805	3.39	3.1	1.6	1,336	1.66	1.1	7.3	6,141	3.01	2.7	2.8
OHIO VALLEY	3,984	3.31	- 1.6	- 2.1	1,677	1.60	10.8	11.5	5,662	2.81	1.6	1.5
WESTERN GROUP												
MICH. UPPER PENINSULA	173	3.48	- 3.0	2.3	96	1.63	5.1	12.0	269	2.82	- .3	5.5
CHICAGO REGIONAL	5,050	3.24	- 2.4	.1	3,119	1.59	5.9	8.3	8,170	2.61	.6	3.1
LOUIS.-LEX.-EVANS	1,104	3.30	- 4.2	- 1.7	777	1.74	14.7	17.6	1,882	2.66	2.6	5.4
INDIANA	1,794	3.53	- 5.1	- 1.7	1,578	1.66	8.6	9.5	3,373	2.66	.8	3.1
SOUTHERN ILLINOIS	754	3.26	- 3.7	- 1.5	629	1.75	2.6	6.4	1,383	2.57	- .9	2.0
CENTRAL ILLINOIS	360	3.29	- 10.3	- 8.2	288	1.67	16.2	16.6	648	2.57	- .2	1.2
WEST NORTH CENTRAL												
NORTHERN GROUP												
DULUTH - SUPERIOR	74	3.35	- 12.8	- 9.4	88	1.61	7.8	9.4	162	2.41	- 2.7	- .4
MINNEAPOLIS - ST. PAUL	628	3.27	- 14.5	- 11.0	1,424	1.44	5.5	6.5	2,053	2.00	- 1.5	.3
EASTERN SCLTH DAKOTA	126	3.29	- 3.6	- .2	164	1.55	2.1	10.7	291	2.31	- .4	5.6
BLACK HILLS	41	3.32	- 3.3	- 2.9	43	1.88	13.6	15.4	85	2.59	4.6	5.6
NORTH CENTRAL IOWA	183	3.38	- 9.7	- 6.9	260	1.64	7.9	9.6	443	2.36	- .2	2.0
CEGAR RAPIDS-IOWA CITY	65	3.33	- 10.3	- 9.4	90	1.44	1.3	2.7	156	2.23	- 3.9	- 2.8
QUAD CITIES - DUBUQUE	274	3.32	- 7.3	- 6.7	240	1.64	15.8	16.6	514	2.54	2.2	2.8
DES MOINES	253	3.52	.3	.3	367	1.64	8.3	11.1	621	2.41	4.9	6.4
NEBRASKA-WESTERN IOWA	306	3.33	- .8	.4	614	1.54	6.1	9.4	1,420	2.55	2.1	4.1
MINNESOTA - N. DAKOTA	228	3.26	- 6.0	- 4.7	269	1.76	15.8	16.3	498	2.44	4.7	5.4
S.E. MINN.-NORTHERN IOWA	194	3.30	- 12.9	- 12.3	317	1.47	17.9	18.8	511	2.17	3.9	4.5

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TABLE 8.—WHOLE MILK, LOW FAT AND SKIM MILK ITEMS SOLD IN MARKETING AREAS DEFINED BY FEDERAL MILK ORDERS FOR MARKETS WHERE SUCH INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE, MARCH 1975 WITH COMPARISONS 1/ -CON.

MARKETING AREA	WHOLE MILK 2/				LOWFAT AND SKIM MILK ITEMS 3/				TOTAL			
	MARCH 1975		CHANGE 1975 FROM 1974		MARCH 1975		CHANGE 1975 FROM 1974		MARCH 1975		CHANGE 1975 FROM 1974	
	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	MARCH	YEAR TO DATE	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	MARCH	YEAR TO DATE	DAILY AVG	BUTTER-FAT CONTENT	MARCH	YEAR TO DATE
	1,000 LB.		PERCENT		1,000 LB.		PERCENT		1,000 LB.		PERCENT	
WEST NORTH CENTRAL -CON.												
SOUTHERN GROUP												
ST LOUIS - OZARKS	1,140	3.28	1.3	4.0	850	1.58	4.9	6.9	1,991	2.56	2.8	5.2
KANSAS CITY	836	3.28	- 1.7	.5	633	1.49	6.7	8.2	1,470	2.51	1.8	3.0
NEOSHO VALLEY	158	3.26	28.7	32.5	59	1.51	10.6	10.5	218	2.79	23.3	26.0
WICHITA	358	3.24	7.4	8.7	174	1.49	10.2	8.3	533	2.67	8.3	9.6
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL												
PAOUCAH	176	3.30	- .3	- 1.6	66	1.42	25.9	30.5	242	2.79	5.7	5.4
NASHVILLE	747	3.32	- 4.2	- 4.1	300	1.30	22.0	25.2	1,048	2.74	2.1	2.8
MEMPHIS	458	3.36	4.9	5.5	196	1.25	20.2	21.2	654	2.73	9.0	9.7
KNOXVILLE	297	3.47	- 5.8	- 3.8	330	1.70	9.5	11.4	627	2.54	1.7	3.6
CHATTANOOGA	303	3.41	- 5.3	- 4.9	256	1.55	11.1	13.6	560	2.56	2.6	2.7
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL												
NORTHERN GROUP												
CENTRAL ARKANSAS	438	3.39	- 4.6	- 4.6	159	1.75	19.6	13.9	598	2.95	.8	.5
FORT SMITH	65	3.29	- 1.6	2.5	16	1.51	.4	7.4	82	2.93	- 1.2	3.5
OKLAHOMA METROPOLITAN	889	3.33	12.0	8.5	224	1.39	19.6	15.6	1,114	2.94	13.4	9.8
RED RIVER VALLEY	294	3.33	- 4.1	- .9	53	1.21	- 3.0	- 1.4	347	3.01	- 3.9	- 1.0
TEXAS PANHANDLE	185	3.31	1.6	6.1	38	1.35	- 1.7	.6	224	2.98	1.0	5.2
LUBBOCK - FLAINVIEW	171	3.35	1.3	4.9	36	1.37	- 5.4	.1	208	3.00	.1	4.0
SOUTHERN GROUP												
NORTHERN LOUISIANA	299	3.61	- 6.8	- .6	76	1.59	- 5.0	- 6.3	376	3.20	- 4.6	.7
NEW ORLEANS	663	3.59	4.8	8.1	112	1.36	- 4.0	- 2.4	776	3.27	3.4	6.5
NORTH TEXAS	1,569	3.31	.2	2.0	548	1.41	5.1	5.0	2,118	2.82	1.4	2.8
CENTRAL WEST TEXAS	277	3.32	1.5	3.6	99	1.52	2.8	4.0	376	2.85	1.8	3.7
AUSTIN - WACO	407	3.30	- 1.6	- 2.9	134	1.33	5.0	3.4	541	2.84	- .1	- 1.4
SAN ANTONIO	486	3.34	2.3	1.6	68	1.05	6.2	2.9	554	3.06	2.7	1.7
CORPUS CHRISTI	443	3.42	10.9	11.5	56	1.50	4.2	.0	500	3.21	10.1	10.1
SOUTH TEXAS	1,368	3.59	2.1	3.9	613	1.25	6.4	4.7	1,981	2.86	3.4	4.1
MOUNTAIN												
EASTERN COLORADO	795	2.92	- 9.4	- 3.8	598	1.71	1.4	7.1	1,394	2.41	- 5.0	.5
GREAT BASIN 4/	451	3.35	4.5	2.9	561	1.89	12.1	11.9	1,013	2.54	8.6	7.7
WESTERN COLORADO	63	3.39	.9	1.6	31	1.83	22.5	19.7	95	2.88	7.1	6.7
CENTRAL ARIZONA	984	3.50	- .9	- .8	421	1.35	11.5	11.8	1,406	2.85	2.5	2.7
RIO GRANDE VALLEY	799	3.36	2.7	2.7	149	1.59	10.0	10.9	948	3.09	3.8	3.9
LAKE MEAD	195	3.54	5.7	4.3	79	1.71	.4	- 7.7	274	3.01	4.1	.6
PACIFIC												
PUGET SOUND	759	3.49	- 6.9	- 6.9	857	1.82	9.3	10.1	1,616	2.60	1.0	1.4
INLAND EMPIRE	144	3.49	5.3	2.6	228	1.77	11.0	13.5	373	2.44	7.9	9.0
OREGON-WASHINGTON	973	3.43	- .0	.0	1,014	1.81	9.6	9.3	1,988	2.60	4.7	4.5
COMBINED AREAS (60)	60,992	3.37	- 1.6	- .7	29,039	1.49	9.3	10.8	90,031	2.77	1.7	2.7
COMBINED AREAS ADJ. FOR CALENDAR COMPOSITION (60) 5/	61,889	—	- 1.5	- .9	29,433	—	9.8	10.6	91,402	—	2.0	2.6
NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY 6/	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14,038	—	- .1	.8

1/ In-area sales represent total sales in each of the areas by handlers regulated under the respective orders, by handlers regulated under other orders, by partially regulated handlers, and by producer-handlers. Sales routes of handlers may extend outside defined marketing areas; therefore, some handler in-area sales are partially estimated.

2/ Plain and flavored.

3/ Plain, fortified, and flavored skim and lowfat milk, and buttermilk.

4/ Sales represent the marketing area after the expansion of January 1, 1975.

5/ Figures are adjusted to eliminate variations due to calendar composition. See special article in FMOS - 171, March 1974.

6/ Small amount of sales estimated.

Table 9.—Daily average sales of individual whole milk items, lowfat and skim milk items, in 60 selected marketing areas defined by Federal milk orders, January 1975 to date, with comparisons ^{1/}

Item	January				February				March				April			
	Change 1975		Change 1975		Change 1975		Change 1975		Change 1975		Change 1975		Change 1975		Change 1975	
	Daily	from 1974	Daily	from 1974	Daily	from 1974	Daily	from 1974	Daily	from 1974	Daily	from 1974	Daily	from 1974	Daily	from 1974
	average	Jan. to date	average	Jan. to date	average	Feb. to date	average	Feb. to date	average	Mar. to date	average	Mar. to date	average	Apr. to date	average	Apr. to date
	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent	1,000 lb.	Percent
Whole milk	61,456.0	- 0.2	60,293.8	0	60,293.8	0	58,413.4	- 1.1	58,413.4	- 1.1	58,413.4	- 0.5	58,413.4	- 0.5	58,413.4	- 0.5
Flavored whole milk	2,791.3	- 5.4	2,852.9	- 2.7	2,852.9	- 2.7	2,578.3	- 11.5	2,578.3	- 11.5	2,578.3	- 6.6	2,578.3	- 6.6	2,578.3	- 6.6
Total whole milk items	64,247.4	- .5	63,146.7	.2	63,146.7	.2	60,991.8	- 1.6	60,991.8	- 1.6	60,991.8	- .7	60,991.8	- .7	60,991.8	- .7
Lowfat (2%) milk																
Plain	11,587.7	+34.5	11,894.1	+37.3	11,894.1	+37.3	11,357.3	+31.4	11,357.3	+31.4	11,357.3	+34.6	11,357.3	+34.6	11,357.3	+34.6
Solids added	9,538.9	- 6.3	9,269.1	- 7.1	9,269.1	- 7.1	9,068.8	- 8.1	9,068.8	- 8.1	9,068.8	- 7.4	9,068.8	- 7.4	9,068.8	- 7.4
Skim milk																
Plain	2,028.4	+15.6	1,998.6	+23.1	1,998.6	+23.1	2,046.1	+20.2	2,046.1	+20.2	2,046.1	+19.4	2,046.1	+19.4	2,046.1	+19.4
Solids added	3,289.7	- 2.2	3,386.0	- 6.3	3,386.0	- 6.3	3,315.4	- 3.0	3,315.4	- 3.0	3,315.4	- 3.8	3,315.4	- 3.8	3,315.4	- 3.8
Flavored milk drinks	1,672.7	+38.6	1,733.6	+39.0	1,733.6	+39.0	1,580.9	+26.5	1,580.9	+26.5	1,580.9	+34.5	1,580.9	+34.5	1,580.9	+34.5
Buttermilk	1,693.9	+ 2.4	1,691.6	+ 1.4	1,691.6	+ 1.4	1,670.5	- 1.7	1,670.5	- 1.7	1,670.5	+ .7	1,670.5	+ .7	1,670.5	+ .7
Total lowfat and skim milk items	29,811.3	+11.3	29,972.9	+11.9	29,972.9	+11.9	29,039.0	+ 9.3	29,039.0	+ 9.3	29,039.0	+10.8	29,039.0	+10.8	29,039.0	+10.8
Total	94,058.7	+ 3.0	93,119.6	+ 3.4	93,119.6	+ 3.4	90,030.7	+ 1.7	90,030.7	+ 1.7	90,030.7	+ 2.7	90,030.7	+ 2.7	90,030.7	+ 2.7
Total adjusted for calendar composition ^{2/}	93,062.9	+ 2.4	93,119.6	+ 3.4	93,119.6	+ 3.4	91,401.7	+ 2.0	91,401.7	+ 2.0	91,401.7	+ 2.6	91,401.7	+ 2.6	91,401.7	+ 2.6

^{1/} See page 7 for markets included.

^{2/} Figures are adjusted to eliminate variations due to calendar composition. See special article in this issue, page 33.

Table 10.—Packaged sales of whole milk, lowfat and skim milk items, milk and cream mixtures, cream items, and total fluid items by handlers regulated under Federal milk order markets, grouped by region, March 1975, with comparisons 1/

Region 2/	Whole milk items 3/				Lowfat and skim milk items 4/				Milk and cream mixtures				Cream items 5/				Total fluid items 6/			
	Mil. lb.	Percent	Change over prev. year	Bf. test	Mil. lb.	Percent	Change over prev. year	Bf. test	Mil. lb.	Percent	Change over prev. year	Bf. test	Mil. lb.	Percent	Change over prev. year	Bf. test	Mil. lb.	Percent	Change over prev. year	Bf. test
NEW ENGLAND	215	+0.6	3.42	40	+9.5	1.05	2.2	+17.4	10.7	5.0	—	22.8	264	+2.1	3.49					
MIDDLE ATLANTIC 8/	190	-5.1	3.40	56	+28.9	1.21	1.7	-12.6	11.0	1.5	—	18.5	253	+1.3	3.05					
SOUTH ATLANTIC	206	-3.9	3.36	62	+6.4	1.20	2.3	+2.0	10.9	1.4	—	22.1	274	-1.5	3.02					
EAST NORTH CENTRAL	709	-1.9	3.36	361	+8.1	1.52	10.0	-13.3	11.1	10.6	—	18.3	1,094	+1.3	2.96					
WEST NORTH CENTRAL	196	-4.8	3.30	199	+6.6	1.55	4.5	+4.1	11.3	4.4	—	21.7	405	+1.1	2.72					
EAST SOUTH CENTRAL	67	+ .4	3.40	34	+16.8	1.39	.9	+10.9	11.0	.6	—	23.1	103	+5.6	2.92					
WEST SOUTH CENTRAL	271	+2.9	3.41	76	+5.9	1.38	2.1	-8.4	11.3	2.0	—	22.3	351	+3.7	3.13					
MOUNTAIN	98	+1.8	3.39	57	+12.2	1.66	1.9	+16.0	11.1	1.7	—	22.1	160	+6.4	3.04					
PACIFIC	57	-1.6	3.44	63	+9.2	1.80	1.6	+1.3	11.5	1.3	—	26.6	124	+4.3	2.93					
TOTAL 8/	2,009	-1.6	3.38	948	+9.2	1.48	27.1	-3.8	11.1	28.6	+22.2	20.8	3,027	+1.9	3.01					

1/ Total packaged disposition, in and out of the marketing area, by regulated handlers.

2/ See page 7 for markets included in each region.

3/ Plain and flavored.

4/ Plain, fortified, flavored skim and lowfat milk, and buttermilk.

5/ Light, heavy, sour, and cream dips.

6/ Includes eggnog and yogurt.

7/ Regional data not shown due to changes in the reporting of the sales of cream items. The "Total" figure is somewhat overstated due to this change.

8/ Excludes New York-New Jersey.

Table 11.—Packaged sales of milk and cream mixtures, cream items, yogurt, and eggnog by handlers regulated under Federal order markets, January 1975 to date, with comparisons 1/

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Table 12.—Milk, skim milk and cream utilized in the manufacture of dairy products by handlers regulated under Federal milk order markets, grouped by regions, March 1974 1/

Region 2/	Butter	Cheese	Frozen desserts	Cottage cheese	Skim milk powder	Condensed milk 2/	Class II milk solids used to fortify Class I	Other factory products and uses 4/ 5/	TOTAL
Product pounds									
1,000 lbs.									
New England and Middle Atlantic 6/	2,245	83,703	24,609	56,401	40,455	52,338	4,404	31,944	296,098
South Atlantic	1,420	11,266	14,013	6,069	7,806	0	3,901	7,415	51,891
East North Central	27,307	400,382	72,079	121,610	82,395	98,860	9,507	96,712	908,853
West North Central	28,248	265,682	21,883	41,135	160,373	26,525	4,772	29,720	578,339
East South Central	1,409	14,765	3,479	3,670	5,961	0	963	12,350	42,595
West South Central	3,275	76,113	13,628	22,471	24,196	17,977	5,127	18,408	181,195
Mountain	2,439	32,392	13,378	21,861	11,854	378	2,740	4,581	89,624
Pacific	7,545	41,709	11,096	20,358	36,245	4,484	796	15,440	137,672
TOTAL 6/ 7/	73,888	926,013	174,166	253,575	369,285	200,562	32,210	216,571	2,286,268
Butterfat pounds									
1,000 lbs.									
New England and Middle Atlantic 6/	1,303	3,141	3,376	967	29	754	0	3,379	12,947
South Atlantic	562	407	1,709	223	0	0	0	278	3,178
East North Central	10,448	15,842	8,220	1,089	37	884	8/	3,749	40,267
West North Central	11,105	9,679	2,325	573	82	358	8/	714	24,838
East South Central	522	562	655	35	0	0	0	449	2,223
West South Central	1,282	2,551	2,469	269	19	206	0	690	7,487
Mountain	922	1,182	1,180	173	9	6	0	265	3,738
Pacific	2,629	1,582	958	181	50	79	0	622	6,102
TOTAL 6/ 7/	28,773	34,946	20,892	3,509	227	2,287	8/	10,146	100,781

1/ Includes producer milk and some other source milk used to produce manufactured dairy products in regulated pool plants as well as milk diverted and shipped to nonpool plants for processing. Some data are partially estimated.

2/ See page 7 for markets included in each region.

3/ Includes condensed skim milk and condensed whole milk.

4/ "Other factory products" include evaporated whole milk, milk, skim milk, and cream used in food products, whole milk powder, and aerated, frozen and plastic cream. Other "uses" include milk, skim milk, and cream used for animal feed, dumped or spilled, and plant loss.

5/ Includes milk, skim milk, and cream used for "unidentified" products.

6/ Excludes New York-New Jersey.

7/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

8/ Less than 500 lbs.

Table 14.—Percentage of whole milk equivalent used in the production of manufactured dairy products, in 60 selected Federal order markets, January 1975 to date, with comparisons 1/

Manufactured dairy products	January		February		March		April		May		June	
	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974
	<u>Percent</u>											
Butter	35.5	35.0	35.5	29.9	32.8	28.5						
Cheese	30.2	27.9	30.3	32.1	33.4	34.7						
Frozen desserts	19.6	20.2	20.3	20.9	20.8	20.7						
Cottage cheese	2.7	3.3	2.9	3.2	2.8	3.5						
All other 2/	12.0	13.6	11.0	13.9	10.2	12.6						
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0						

Manufactured dairy products	July		August		September		October		November		December	
	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974
Butter												
Cheese												
Frozen desserts												
Cottage cheese												
All other 2/												
Total												

1/ Data represent whole milk equivalent based on milkfat content. Includes producer milk and some other source milk used to produce manufactured dairy products in regulated pool plants as well as milk diverted and shipped to nonpool plants for processing. Some of the data are partially estimated. See page 7 for 60 markets included. Excludes New York-New Jersey.

2/ Milk, skim milk and cream used in other manufactured products, i.e. evaporated milk, condensed milk, whole and skim milk powder, aerated, frozen and plastic cream, and cream and cheese dips; and milk, skim milk, and cream used in food products as well as used in animal feed, dumped or spilled, plant loss and unidentified.

Table 17.—Dairy product prices and manufacturing milk prices January 1975 to date, with comparisons

Month	Dairy product market prices											
	BUTTER			CHEDDAR CHEESE			NONFAT DRY MILK			DRIED WHEY, EDIBLE		
	Chicago	New York		Wis. assembling points	Chicago area plant 1/	Central States Production Area						
	92-Score	93-Score	Barrel	Blocks	Spray process	2/						
	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974
Cents per pound												
January	66.82	68.49	67.73	71.69	70.67	85.29	74.79	89.92	56.73	55.13	9.88	15.53
February	68.07	64.07	69.40	65.88	73.00	86.12	76.88	91.06	59.24	57.75	7.72	14.83
March	68.07	68.06	69.43	70.40	73.38	86.16	77.38	91.25	60.58	61.52	6.74	13.72
April	69.19	68.23	70.62	70.66	74.86	82.36	78.80	88.35	60.66	68.73	6.36	12.78
May		60.51		62.38		72.36		77.93		66.22		11.44
June		60.57		61.90		66.25		71.12		58.45		10.63
July		60.83		62.35		66.25		71.16		56.52		11.06
August		67.08		69.44		67.86		72.49		57.05		12.19
September		67.71		69.64		72.75		76.50		56.93		14.18
October		68.84		71.11		74.45		78.48		56.91		14.44
November		68.88		71.16		73.29		77.77		56.94		12.82
December		65.32		67.92		68.50		72.62		56.74		11.29
Av.		65.72		67.88		75.14		79.89		59.07		12.91

Month	Prices paid for manufacturing grade milk, 3.5% butterfat content											
	Minn.-Wis. Manuf. grade milk 3/			Butter-powder "Smubber" 4/								
	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974
	Dollars per 100 lb. f.o.b. plant											
January				8.10		6.98				6.92		
February	6.80			8.14		7.24				6.95		
March	6.85			8.15		7.35				7.42		
April	6.86			7.73		7.40				8.02		
May	6.94			6.93						7.49		
June				6.31						6.86		
July				6.29						6.71		
August				6.39						7.02		
September				6.69						7.03		
October				6.82						7.08		
November				6.76						7.08		
December				6.41						6.92		

1/ 26th of preceding month through 25th of current month. 2/ Simple average of hygroscopic and nonhygroscopic. 3/ 3.5 percent price converted by using Chicago 92-score butter price times 0.120. 4/ (Chicago 92-score butter prices times 4.2) plus (non-fat dry milk, spray, Chicago area plant price time 8.2) less 48 cents.

Table 18.—U.S. milk prices, U.S. milk-feed ratio, and general price measures; January 1975, with comparisons

Month	U.S. milk prices				U.S. milk prices, 3.5 percent butterfat basis 1/												U.S.	
	All milk	Manufacturing			All milk	Milk eligible	Manufacturing			Paid farmers for milk used in:						Milk-fed		
	wholesale 2/	grade milk 2/			wholesale 2/	for fluid	grade milk									price		
	1975**	1975**			2/	2/	2/			3/	American	Evaporated	Ratio 2/ 4/					
	Price	Parity	Price	Av.														
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Month	General price measures																			
	Prices received by farmers									Price indexes										
	Prices paid by farmers			Livestock & products			Dairy products			Parity ratio 2/ 9/			Wholesale 6/			Retail 7/				
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Index 1967=100																				
January	180	158	174	198	153	193	159	171	97	125	171.8	150.4	148.3	145.1	156.1	139.7	170.9	153.7	155.2	146.3
February	180	161	168	202	151	190	157	171	93	125	171.3	152.7	148.5	147.6	157.2	141.5	171.6	157.6	155.6	149.3
March	179	162	164	194	152	179	157	172	92	120	170.4	154.5	148.6	151.2	157.8	143.1	171.3	159.1	155.4	151.5
April	182	164	183	193	157	169	155	171	93	112	172.1	152.7	148.9	154.1	158.6	144.0	171.2	158.6	154.8	153.7
May	165	165	174	165	156	156	159	159	105	105	155.0	155.0	146.9	146.9	145.6	145.6	159.7	154.6	154.6	154.6
June	166	166	165	165	142	142	152	162	99	99	155.7	155.7	142.9	142.9	147.1	147.1	160.3	153.8	153.8	153.8
July	168	168	175	175	155	155	145	145	104	104	161.7	161.7	141.7	141.7	148.3	148.3	160.5	151.6	151.6	151.6
August	173	173	181	181	160	160	147	147	105	105	167.4	167.4	142.4	142.4	150.2	150.2	162.8	152.4	152.4	152.4
September	175	175	178	178	154	154	152	152	102	102	167.2	167.2	144.8	144.8	151.9	151.9	165.0	151.1	151.1	151.1
October	177	177	185	185	155	155	158	158	105	105	170.2	170.2	146.4	146.4	153.0	153.0	166.1	151.7	151.7	151.7
November	179	179	182	182	153	153	162	162	102	102	171.9	171.9	146.8	146.8	154.3	154.3	167.8	152.7	152.7	152.7
December	180	180	177	177	153	153	161	161	98	98	171.5	171.5	146.7	146.7	155.4	155.4	169.7	155.3	155.3	155.3
Average	169	169	183	183	163	163	160	160	109	109	160.9	160.9	147.7	147.7	161.7	161.7	151.7	151.7	151.7	151.7

* Preliminary. ** Based on partially revised data. 1/ Converted by using Chicago 92-score butter times 0.120. 2/ "Agricultural Prices," SRS. 3/ "Dairy Products," SRS. 4/ Pounds of concentrate ration equal in value to one pound of milk sold to plants. 5/ Seasonally adjusted. 6/ "Wholesale Prices and Price Index," BLS. 7/ "Consumer Price Index," BLS. 8/ For commodities and services, interest, taxes, and wage rates. 9/ Ratio of the Index of Prices Received by farmers, all farm products, to the Index of Prices Paid, Interest, Taxes, and Farm Wage Rates.

Table 19.—Retail prices paid by consumers for dairy products, United States, January 1975 to date, with comparisons 1/

Month	Whole milk and skim milk				Ice cream prepackaged		Cheese American process <u>4/</u>		Butter <u>2/</u>	
	At stores									
	Whole milk <u>2/</u>		Skim milk <u>3/</u>							
	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974
	Cents per $\frac{1}{2}$ gal.				Cents per $\frac{1}{2}$ gal.		Cents per $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.		Cents per lb.	
Jan.	79.4	75.9	74.7	70.3	121.9	100.1	72.7	70.8	92.6	100.1
Feb.	79.2	77.6	74.6	72.3	122.3	100.9	73.6	73.1	94.9	97.1
Mar.	78.9	78.9	74.2	73.5	123.0	101.1	73.7	74.3	95.2	95.4
Apr.	78.5	80.0	74.1	74.6	122.0	102.9	73.8	75.5	95.4	95.8
May		80.4		75.3		105.2		75.7		94.1
June		79.9		75.0		107.4		74.6		91.0
July		78.4		73.7		108.4		72.3		90.3
Aug.		77.5		73.1		108.6		70.9		90.5
Sept.		77.3		72.8		109.9		71.0		93.5
Oct.		77.5		72.8		112.3		71.4		94.4
Nov.		77.6		73.4		114.6		72.9		95.9
Dec.		79.2		74.5		119.3		73.0		96.4

1/ "Estimated Retail Food Prices by Cities," Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Department of Labor.

2/ 56-city average. 3/ 25-city average. 4/ 45-city average.

Table 20.—Prevailing prices paid by consumers for the most common grade of whole milk, skim milk, ice cream, cheese, American process, and butter, 23 cities, April 1975, with comparisons 1/

Market	Prices at stores				Ice cream prepackaged		Cheese American process		Butter	
	Whole milk		Skim milk							
	Apr. 1975	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1975	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1975	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1975	Apr. 1974	Apr. 1975	Apr. 1974
	Cents per half gallon				Cents per $\frac{1}{2}$ gal.		Cents per $\frac{1}{2}$ lb.		Cents per lb.	
Atlanta, Ga.	89.1	91.1	—	—	107.7	91.9	76.9	74.7	101.7	107.2
Baltimore, Md.	77.5	85.4	—	—	107.4	104.4	72.8	72.6	90.2	92.1
Boston, Mass.	76.3	76.0	—	—	134.6	116.0	69.1	71.5	92.1	99.8
Buffalo, N.Y.	79.3	80.9	—	—	110.0	91.6	71.3	72.3	90.6	88.8
Chicago, Ill.—NW. Ind.	79.4	79.8	75.0	74.8	126.2	112.7	72.1	79.2	95.3	95.6
Cincinnati, Ohio	83.3	85.5	77.7	80.5	135.2	109.7	72.2	72.9	103.1	98.2
Cleveland, Ohio	65.2	73.9	—	—	108.8	88.7	76.2	79.0	92.5	94.4
Dallas, Texas	81.8	84.5	74.8	78.3	113.8	95.0	73.3	76.6	104.2	104.7
Detroit, Mich.	75.2	71.7	—	—	110.0	93.8	71.6	71.1	91.5	88.4
Honolulu, Hawaii	104.5	89.8	103.0	88.0	146.1	111.8	84.7	91.7	100.7	100.3
Houston, Texas	91.1	90.5	90.9	88.8	138.2	102.4	82.0	86.9	106.7	108.3
Kansas City, Mo.	82.2	86.2	80.3	84.0	109.5	101.4	76.1	74.0	106.2	101.0
Los Ang.—L. Beach, Ca.	70.8	69.4	61.0	59.4	112.5	90.0	77.0	80.1	95.9	93.9
Milwaukee, Wisc.	69.0	71.9	65.9	68.9	119.7	101.2	73.3	78.1	85.4	84.3
Mpls. St. Paul, Minn.	65.1	68.3	58.9	61.1	105.2	92.8	76.2	79.0	87.1	86.9
New York, NE N.J.	82.2	86.9	—	—	155.5	122.0	75.2	74.3	97.8	98.6
Philadelphia, Pa.	80.8	83.2	—	—	136.0	111.1	71.9	73.9	97.4	101.3
Pittsburgh, Pa.	77.2	81.9	76.1	78.6	111.9	97.3	72.5	73.1	91.9	95.4
St. Louis, Mo.	76.6	79.1	72.1	75.1	110.5	91.8	71.4	74.5	97.6	100.9
San Diego, Calif.	70.9	71.5	61.4	62.1	118.8	96.6	77.9	77.5	97.6	95.6
San Fran.—Oak, Calif.	72.7	72.5	—	—	127.5	104.2	75.1	81.5	90.0	86.3
Seattle, Wash.	80.5	76.6	78.5	75.3	129.1	114.7	75.5	78.8	95.5	90.8
Washington, D.C.—Md.—Va.	77.3	82.1	74.6	79.8	138.4	121.2	72.5	75.3	92.9	93.5
United States <u>2/</u>	78.5	80.0	74.1	74.6	122.0	102.9	73.8	75.5	95.4	95.8

1/ "Estimated Retail Food Prices by Cities," Bureau of Labor Statistics, U.S. Dept. of Labor. The primary use of these prices by BLS is for time-to-time rather than place-to-place comparisons.

2/ 56-city average for whole milk and butter; 25-city average for skim milk, and 45-city average for ice cream and cheese, at stores.

Table 21.—U.S. production, January 1975 to date, with comparisons

Month	Milk 1/		Butter 2/		Total cheese 2/		Nonfat dry milk 2/		Frozen desserts 2/	
	1975*	1974**	1975*	1974**	1975*	1974**	1975*	1974**	1975*	1974**
	Bil. lb.		Mil. lb.		Mil lb.		Mil. lb.		Mil. lb.	
Jan.	9.3	9.3	97.4	80.6	216.3	240.1	83.5	58.4	79.3	75.8
Feb.	8.8	8.8	90.4	69.0	203.9	232.2	8.16	56.0	81.4	80.0
Mar.	10.0	10.0	96.3	77.4	238.0	270.7	95.8	75.3	96.5	93.4
Apr.	10.1	10.1	100.9	88.1	243.4	269.1	111.5	95.0	97.4	93.8
May		10.8		99.8		276.7		121.2		104.0
June		10.6		91.8		276.2		129.0		113.2
July		10.1		78.4		250.8		117.1		119.0
Aug.		9.7		73.3		230.5		97.4		114.3
Sept.		9.1		65.4		211.1		64.7		97.9
Oct.		9.1		70.8		216.6		58.3		88.4
Nov.		8.7		68.0		205.6		52.8		76.4
Dec.		9.1		89.6		218.3		80.1		72.2
Year to date	38.2	115.4	385.0	952.2	901.6	2,897.9	372.4	1,005.3	354.6	1,128.4

* Preliminary. ** Partially revised. 1/ "Milk Production," SRS. 2/ "Dairy Products," SRS. Frozen desserts include ice cream, ice milk, and sherbert.

Table 22.—Commercial and government storage holdings, January 1975 to date, with comparisons

Month	Storage Holdings 1/						Nonfat dry milk			
	Butter 2/		Total Cheese 2/		Total		Commer-		Gov't	
	cial	Gov't	cial	Gov't	cial	Gov't	cial	Gov't	cial	Gov't
	1975*	1975*	1975*	1974**	1975*	1974**	1975*	1974**	1975*	1974**
	Million pounds		Million pounds		Million pounds		Million pounds		Million pounds	
Jan.	38.3	16.2	54.5	51.4	481.2	1.0	482.2	364.3	123.0	187.2
Feb.	39.6	21.7	61.3	50.8	456.5	1.6	458.1	395.5	114.9	201.4
Mar.	32.3	28.2	56.9	58.1	444.3	3.2	447.5	438.9	115.0	220.5
Apr.	33.6	30.2	63.8	79.0	438.5	3.4	441.9	489.5	108.9	219.9
May				97.7			530.0			141.9
June				118.6			570.3			187.2
July				130.6			568.9			215.2
Aug.				122.6			552.9			246.5
Sept.				105.7			539.0			251.5
Oct.				83.1			512.9			252.2
Nov.				57.9			497.3			257.9
Dec.				49.2			494.1			293.2

* Preliminary. ** Based on partially revised data. 1/ End of month. 2/ "Cold Storage Reports," SRS. 3/ "Dairy Products," SRS. 4/ "Summary of Processed Commodities in Store," ASCS.

Table 23.—U.S.D.A. purchases (Delivery basis), January 1975 to date, with comparisons

Month	Butter 1/		American cheese 1/		Nonfat dry milk		Milk equivalent of net U.S.D.A. purchases 2/	
	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974	1975	1974
	1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.		1,000 lb.	
Jan.	6,926	120	11,962	605	38,783	2,482	264	9
Feb.	16,806	1,913	9,858	739	46,056	5,491	425	47
Mar.	13,616	1,114	13,957	335	53,885	2,271	2,393	35
Apr.	14,563	0	10,013	336	72,458	633	391	14
May		8,363		739		9,374		191
June		13,093		942		29,875		293
July		9,300		4,619		52,651		244
Aug.		45		15,243		46,572		158
Sept.		0		14,384		32,143		145
Oct.		0		3,730		27,304		37
Nov.		0		4,908		21,896		32
Dec.		1,381		14,089		34,381		142
Year to date	51,911	35,329	45,790	3/ 60,669	211,182	4/ 265,073	5/ 3,473	6/ 1,347

1/ "Dairy Price Support Activity Report," ASCS. 2/ U.S.D.A. purchases (delivery basis) of butter, cheese, and evaporated milk, minus U.S.D.A. domestic sales for unrestricted use of butter and cheese; includes purchases under price support, Section 709, Section 32, and Section 4A programs.

3/ Purchases made after June 10, include 43,446 thousand pounds of process American cheese.

4/ Includes 28,301 thousand pounds of instant nonfat dry milk. 5/ Includes 20 million pounds (milk equivalent) of evaporated milk. 6/ Includes 59.9 million pounds (milk equivalent) of evaporated milk and 13 million pounds (milk equivalent) of dry whole milk.

Adjusting In-area Sales Data for Calendar Composition*

The trend in sales of fluid milk products is one of the more important statistics used to assess the current dairy situation. Tables 8 and 9 of this publication present sales of whole milk items, lowfat and skim milk items, and the total of these in marketing areas as geographically defined by each Federal milk order market. These sales figures reflect not only variation due to trend, but also variation due to seasonality, calendar composition, and randomness. The effect of seasonality is minimized by comparing monthly data for the current year with the same month of the previous year. Since the adjustment process described in this article removes most of the variation due to calendar composition, the adjusted sales data generated by this process can be used to measure trend.

Variation in sales data due to calendar composition results because the number of the types of days—Sundays, Mondays, etc.—that occur in a particular month vary from year to year. For example, in 1974, January had five Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays whereas, in 1975 January had five Wednesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays. In comparing the two months, 1974 had an extra Tuesday and 1975 had an extra Friday. Since there is daily variation in fluid milk sales data, sales in January 1974 can be expected to be different than sales in January 1975, because sales on Tuesdays are different than sales on Fridays.

Therefore, the key to accounting for monthly calendar variation in fluid milk sales lies in estimating day-to-day variation during the week. A procedure called the 31-30 Day Difference Method was used to develop a set of daily weights which eliminate most of the variation due to calendar composition. ^{1/} These weights are shown in table A.

Table A.—Index of daily variation in weekly in-area sales

<u>Day</u>	<u>Index</u>		
	<u>Whole Milk Items</u>	<u>Lowfat and Skim Milk Items</u>	<u>Total Items</u>
Sunday	0.0897	0.0703	0.0866
Monday	1.1852	1.1817	1.1797
Tuesday	1.0816	1.0619	1.0933
Wednesday	1.0191	0.9095	0.9912
Thursday	1.1333	1.1132	1.1205
Friday	1.2141	1.3299	1.2590
Saturday	1.2770	1.3334	1.2698

These indices show how sales on a particular day of the week compare to an average sales day. For example, sales of whole milk items on a Sunday are 8.97 percent of an average sales data whereas sales on a Friday are 121.41 percent of an average sales day.

Monthly Adjustment Factors

To derive factors for adjusting monthly data, the sum of the daily weights for each type of month 2/ was divided by the number of days in that month. For example, a 31-day month beginning on a Sunday has a total weight of 30.3139 for lowfat and skim milk items which, when divided by 31.0, yields an adjustment factor of 0.9779. The adjustment factors for the other types of months are shown in table B.

Table B.—Factors for Adjusting Monthly In-Area Sales for Variation Due to Calendar Composition

Adjusting Factors

First day of month	Whole Milk Items		Lowfat and Skim Milk Items		Total Items	
	31-day	30-day	31-day	30-day	31-day	30-day
	months	months	months	months	months	months
Sunday	0.9792	0.9758	0.9779	0.9751	0.9793	0.9755
Monday	1.0092	1.0089	1.0049	1.0081	1.0085	1.0091
Tuesday	1.0076	1.0034	1.0027	.9990	1.0066	1.0028
Wednesday	1.0118	1.0051	1.0114	1.0008	1.0120	1.0037
Thursday	1.0201	1.0116	1.0250	1.0148	1.0209	1.0126
Friday	.9865	1.0164	.9914	1.0221	.9876	1.0176
Saturday	.9855	.9789	.9866	.9801	.9850	.9785

The adjustment factor for all 28-day Februarys is 1.0000. 3/

These adjustment factors reflect how sales in a particular type of month compare to sales in a month in which all the days are average sales days. For example, since the adjustment factor for a 31-day month beginning on a Sunday for total items is 0.9793, sales of total items during such a month are lower than during an average-sales-day month. Therefore, sales during such a month need to be adjusted upward before comparisons to a previous year can be made on a comparable basis. Monthly in-area sales are adjusted to a comparable year-to-year basis by dividing the reported sales by the respective adjustment factor. Table C provides a convenient means of finding the factor applicable to any specific month from 1974-76. Table C is shown on next page.

A word of caution: The daily weights and the monthly adjustment factors derived from them were based on in-area sales of whole milk items, lowfat and skim milk items, and the total of these in the combined marketing areas. They are intended to apply only to combined market sales data. They may not be the best weights and adjustment factors to apply to individual market data or to individual products.

An explanation of the 31-30 Day Difference Method and an evaluation of the weights obtained are contained in an informal Dairy Division report entitled "Adjusting In-Area Fluid Milk Sales Data for Calendar Composition". You can obtain a copy of this report by writing to the Chief, Market Information Branch, Dairy Division, Agricultural Marketing Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, DC 20250.

Table C.—Factors for adjusting in-area sales of whole milk, lowfat and skim milk items, and total of these for calendar composition, by months, 1974 through 1976

<u>Whole Milk Items</u>			
<u>Adjustment factors</u>			
<u>Month</u>	<u>1974</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>1976</u>
January	1.0076	1.0118	1.0201
February	1.0000	1.0000	1.0032
March	.9865	.9855	1.0092
April	1.0089	1.0034	1.0116
May	1.0118	1.0201	.9855
June	.9789	.9758	1.0034
July	1.0092	1.0076	1.0201
August	1.0201	.9865	.9792
September	.9758	1.0089	1.0051
October	1.0076	1.0118	.9865
November	1.0164	.9789	1.0089
December	.9792	1.0092	1.0118
Year	1.0002	1.0001	1.0037

<u>Lowfat and Skim Milk Items</u>			
<u>Adjustment factors</u>			
<u>Month</u>	<u>1974</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>1976</u>
January	1.0027	1.0114	1.0250
February	1.0000	1.0000	1.0025
March	.9914	.9866	1.0049
April	1.0081	.9990	1.0148
May	1.0114	1.0250	.9866
June	.9801	.9751	.9990
July	1.0049	1.0027	1.0250
August	1.0250	.9914	.9779
September	.9751	1.0081	1.0008
October	1.0027	1.0114	.9914
November	1.0221	.9801	1.0081
December	.9779	1.0049	1.0114
Year	1.0002	.9998	1.0040

Total Whole Milk and Lowfat and Skim Milk ItemsAdjustment factors

<u>Month</u>	<u>1974</u>	<u>1975</u>	<u>1976</u>
January	1.0066	1.0120	1.0209
February	1.0000	1.0000	1.0031
March	.9876	.9850	1.0085
April	1.0091	1.0028	1.0126
May	1.0120	1.0209	.9850
June	.9785	.9755	1.0028
July	1.0085	1.0066	1.0209
August	1.0209	.9876	.9793
September	.9755	1.0091	1.0037
October	1.0066	1.0120	.9876
November	1.0176	.9785	1.0091
December	.9793	1.0085	1.0120
Year	1.0003	1.0000	1.0038

Comparing Sales in Different Months

A further application of calendar composition adjustment factors is in comparing in-area sales in different months of the same or different years. To accomplish this, it is necessary to employ seasonal indexes as well as calendar composition adjustment factors. Such indexes based on seasonal patterns of the last 12 years are given in table D.

Table D.—Seasonal Indexes of Daily Average In-area Sales of Whole Milk Items, Lowfat and Skim Milk Items, and the Total of These, based on Data for 1963 through 1974 4/

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<u>Month</u>	<u>Whole Milk Items</u>	<u>Lowfat and Skim Milk Items</u>	<u>Total Items</u>
January	1.0389	1.0165	1.0348
February	1.0430	1.0336	1.0413
March	1.0306	1.0351	1.0314
April	1.0134	1.0234	1.0152
May	.9859	.9922	.9865
June	.9164	.9709	.9266
July	.9067	.9519	.9147
August	.9283	.9597	.9341
September	1.0333	1.0004	1.0272
October	1.0500	1.0167	1.0439
November	1.0387	1.0079	1.0331
December	1.0148	.9915	1.0111

In order to compare sales in two different months of the same or different years, it is necessary to divide the sales figures by the respective seasonal factors and then by the appropriate calendar composition factors. The two adjusted sales figures can then be compared directly and any difference would reflect only the effects of trend and random variation.

For example, how do December 1974 in-area sales of total whole milk and lowfat and skim milk items compare with sales of these items in January 1975? The procedure is as follows:

(1) For December 1974:

- a. divide daily average in-area sales by the December seasonal factor
 $87,718 \div 1.0111 = 86.755$ million pounds
- b. divide by the December 1974 calendar composition factor
 $86,755 \div 0.9793 = 88.589$ million pounds

(2) For January 1975:

- a. divide daily average in-area sales by the January seasonal factor
 $94,059 \div 1.0348 = 90.896$ million pounds
- b. divide by the January 1975 calendar composition factor
 $90,896 \div 1.0120 = 89.818$ million pounds

Comparing the adjusted sales figures for December 1974, 88.589 million pounds, to the adjusted figure for January 1975, 89.818 million pounds, indicates a small upward trend between the two months.

A word of caution: The seasonal indexes, like the monthly adjustment factors, are based on in-area sales for combined markets and may not be the best index to apply to individual market data or to individual products within the groups. Also, the procedure for comparing sales is only applicable to sales for the same group of markets.

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1/ See FMOS-134, issued April 1971.

2/ The type of month can vary depending on which day the month begins and how many days are in the month.

3/ The above factors may be applied either to total monthly sales or daily average sales.

4/ These factors can be used only with daily average sales. To obtain factors for total monthly sales, multiply the factor for the month by the number of days in the month and divide the result by 30.4167.

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